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It was reported that the passenger was running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour when it struck the circus train, and after looking the wreck over it was easy to believe that it was going at least that fast. Where the passenger engine struck the circus train several cars were completely demolished, so much so that it was impossible to tell how many cars there had been there originally, as it was one mass of wreckage, splintered wood, twisted iron, dead animals and debris of all kinds, while the passenger engine was turned over on its side and badly battered up. The circus train was moving only slowly at the time of the accident, or there might have been more of the cars wrecked.

Before the smashup occurred the engineer and fireman of the passenger train jumped from their engine and thus saved themselves from injury. It was stated that the engineer of the passenger had taken to the woods, and it was probably just as well that he did as the circus hands felt pretty sore about the matter and there might have been trouble had they got hold of the engineer.

There is no question but what the circus train was running on the time of the passenger in trying to get onto the Tomah track before the passenger came along, but under any circumstances the passenger engineer should have brought his train to a full stop before reaching the crossing, and had he done this there would have been no trouble.

A large number of people visited the scene of the wreck from this city, and it was probably as gruesome a spectacle as is often seen, and while it was a sad wreck, an inspection of the premises impressed one with the fact that it might have been a great deal worse. Had the circus train been struck nearer the rear end where the coaches in which the people travel are located, the loss of life would have been something appalling, as the cars that were demolished had only a few men in them, who took care of the animals.

The man who was killed was named John McGee, and his remains were brought to this city placed and in the undertaking rooms of Ragan & Shaver where they were prepared for burial, and an effort has since been made to locate some of his friends or relatives, but without success. He stated before his death that his sister was living at St. Cloud, Minn., but at this writing it has been impossible to get any trace of her. The wounded men were placed on a train the same afternoon and taken to the hospital at Tomah. It is reported that two of the men were so badly hurt that it was impossible for them to live, but at last reports they were still alive.

Victor Ristow Injured.

Victor, the 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ristow, was the victim of a most unfortunate accident last Thursday while playing with a number of other boys near the Emerson school building. The boy had climbed up into a willow tree, and losing his balance he fell to the ground, striking on the top of his head. He was found to be in possession of a fractured skull and was taken to the hospital where an operation was performed by Dr. Hougren. Victor's friends will be pleased to hear that he is recovering rapidly.

Severely Bitten.

Last Saturday morning at 10 o'clock the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wollach of the town of Randolph met with a peculiar but most serious accident while playing in the barn yard. The child was viciously attacked by an old sow who probably thought her young ones were in danger, and ten or twelve wounds were inflicted, nearly all of which were minor ones. A large 2 1/2 inch gash above the elbow, however, revealed a compound comminuted fracture. Dr. J. A. Jackson of Randolph was called to dress the wound, Dr. Merrill of this city giving the anesthetic, and at present the patient is getting on very nicely. The only danger lay in the possibility of blood poison caused by the saliva of the animal inflicting the wound.

Special Train to Marshfield.

On Friday, August 20th, will take place what will be known as "Grand Rapids Day" at the Marshfield Fair, and the prospects seem favorable for a good sized delegation from this city. The Grand Rapids band has been engaged for that day and our base ball team will play at 10:30 in the morning, thus a two-fold inducement is offered to those who have any idea of taking the trip. At 9 o'clock in the morning a special train consisting of six or seven coaches will leave for Marshfield over the Chicago-Northwestern line and at 11 o'clock in the evening the train will make the return trip, giving the Grand Rapids visitors ample time to take in all the attractions they wish.

Rehman-Getke.

On Thursday afternoon, August 11th, Miss Anna Rehmann and August Getke were united in marriage at the east side German Lutheran church, Rev. Maack performing the ceremony. The couple was attended by Messrs. Franz Getke and Henry Rehmann and the Misses Louise Turhan and Marie Getke. Mr. and Mrs. Getke will make their home in this city.

Married at Duluth.

Miss Amelia Holtnel and Irwin J. Nelson, both of Stevens Point and having a number of friends in this city, were married last week at Duluth where Mr. Nelson has been the manager of a barber shop for several months.

Obituary.

On Thursday, August 11th, occurred the death of Helen Jane Munter, the year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Munter, the cause of the child's death being bronchial trouble. The funeral services took place on Saturday morning at the Catholic church.

Market Report.

Patent Flour.....\$5.20
Egg Flour.....4.90
Wheat.....2.00
Oats.....1.25
Barley.....1.10
Rye.....1.00
Corn.....1.00
Soybeans.....1.00
Hays.....1.00
Timothy.....1.00

BIRTHS.

A son to Mr. and Mrs. E. Bennett.

Johnson-Joffries fight pictures will be shown at Daly's Theater Saturday the 20th.

Eve's Chief Distinction.

Eve had the satisfaction of thinking, anyhow, that her husband was the best man in the world.—Gomerville Journal.

ONE CENT A WORD

WANTED: 10 men at "Overlook Heights" the new addition, at the foot of E. South 3rd St., the old Neitzel place. National Realty Sales Co.

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FOR SALE—Some shuffling, haggard, pulpy and counter-shafts in good condition. Can be bought cheap. Call at Tribune office.

WANTED—Farm in exchange for city property, or farm lands in Missouri and Michigan. J. H. Phillips, 20 Randolph St., Chicago.

WANTED: A general horse shaver and blacksmith repairer. Henry P. Grab, Hancock, Wis., P. O. Box 6.

FOR SALE—Phonograph, first class condition. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at Tribune office.

LOST—A black pure on Monday night on the west side, containing ten dollars and two dollars bill and some silver. Finder who is rewarded will be rewarded by leaving same at this office.

FOR SALE—Home and lot at 221 Ninth Ave North. Inquire of Otto Middleton, 126, McKinley St.

FOR SALE—Will sacrifice almost new high grade piano, mahogany case. Address care of Tribune office.

LOST—Lost bunch on Monday, somewhere between city and circus grounds. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to Miss Nellie Waters, 217 Bates St., Kansas City, Mo. at this office.

WANTED: 1/2 or 1/4 section, good farm land for cash and income property. Address Box 125, Bedford, Wis.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—The lower half of a building of 10 and 1/2 acres, just south of Skowon. All stock, new machinery and crops for Grand Rapids residence property. Telephone lower 24. Owner on the place, Austin Rhinck, 24.

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It was reported that the passenger train was running at the rate of twenty-five miles an hour when it struck the circus train, and after looking the wreck over it was easy to believe that it was going at least that fast.

Where the passenger engine struck the circus train several cars were completely demolished, so much so that it was impossible to tell how many cars there had been there originally, as it was one mass of wreckage, splintered wood, twisted iron, dead animals and debris of all kinds, while the passenger engine was turned over on its side and badly battered up. The circus train was moving only slowly at the time of the accident, or there might have been more of the cars wrecked.

Before the smashup occurred the engineer and fireman of the passenger train jumped from their engine and thus saved themselves from injury. It was stated that the engineer of the passenger had taken to the woods, and it was probably just as well that he did as the circus band felt pretty sore about the matter and there might have been trouble had they got hold of the engineer.

There is no question but what the circus train was running on the time of the passenger in trying to get onto the Tomah track before the passenger came along, but under any circumstances the passenger engineer should have brought his train to a full stop before reaching the crossing, and had he done this there would have been no trouble.

A large number of people visited the scene of the wreck from this city, and it was probably as gruesome a spectacle as is often seen, and while it was a bad wreck, an inspection of the premises impressed one with the fact that it might have been a great deal worse. Had the circus train been struck nearer the rear end where the coaches in which the people travel are located, the loss of life would have been something appalling, as the cars that were demolished had only a few men in them, who took care of the animals.

The man who was killed was named John McGee, and his remains were brought to this city placed and in the undertaking rooms of Hagan & Shaver where they were prepared for burial, and an effort has since been made to locate some of his friends or relatives, but without success. He stated before his death that his sister was living at St. Cloud, Minn., but at this writing it has been impossible to get any trace of her. The wounded men were placed on a train the same afternoon and taken to the hospital at Tomah. It is reported that two of the men were so badly hurt that it was impossible for them to live, but at last reports they were still alive.

Victor Ristow Injured.

Victor, the 5 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Ristow, was the victim of a most unfortunate accident last Thursday while playing with a number of other boys near the Emerson school building. The boy had climbed up into a willow tree, and losing his balance he fell to the ground, striking on the top of his head. He was found to be in possession of a fractured skull and was taken to the hospital where an operation was performed, by Dr. Hougren. Victor's friends will be pleased to hear that he is recovering rapidly.

Severely Bitten.

Last Saturday morning at 10 o'clock the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wollach of the town of Randolph met with a peculiar but most serious accident while playing in the barn yard. The child was viciously attacked by an old sow who probably thought her young ones were in danger, and ten or twelve wounds were inflicted, nearly all of which were minor ones. A large 2 1/2 inch gash above the elbow, however, revealed a compound comminuted fracture. Dr. J. A. Jackson of Randolph was called to dress the wound, Dr. Merrill of this city giving the anesthetic, and at present the patient is getting on very nicely. The only danger lay in the possibility of blood poisoning caused by the saliva of the animal infecting the wound.

Special Train to Marshfield.

On Friday, August 20th, will take place what will be known as "Grand Rapids Day" at the Marshfield Fair, and the prospects seem favorable for a good sized delegation from this city. The Grand Rapids band has been engaged for that day and our baseball team will play at 10:30 in the morning, thus a two-fold inducement is offered to those who have any idea of taking the trip. At 9 o'clock in the morning a special train consisting of six or seven coaches will leave for Marshfield over the Chicago-Northwestern line and at 11 o'clock in the evening the train will make the return trip, giving the Grand Rapids visitors ample time to take in all the attractions they wish.

Rehman-Gelke.

On Thursday afternoon, August 11th, Miss Anna Rehman and August Gelke were united in marriage at the west side German Lutheran church, Rev. Maack performing the ceremony. The couple was attended by Messrs. Frank Gelke and Henry Rehman and the Misses Louise Turban and Marie Gelke. Mr. and Mrs. Gelke will make their home in this city.

Married at Duluth.

Miss Amelia Bethach and Irwin J. Nelson, both of Stevens Point and having a number of friends in this city, were married last week at Duluth where Mr. Nelson has been the manager of a barber shop for several months.

Obituary.

On Thursday, August 11th, occurred the death of Helen Jane Menter, the four year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Menter, the cause of the child's death being bronchial trouble. The funeral services took place on Saturday morning at the Catholic church.

Market Report.

Wheat, No. 1 hard, 1.00; No. 2 hard, .98; No. 3 hard, .96; No. 1 soft, .94; No. 2 soft, .92; No. 3 soft, .90; Corn, No. 1, .75; No. 2, .73; No. 3, .71; Soybeans, .45; Hogs, .10; Cattle, .12; Poultry, .15.

BIRTHS

A son to Mr. and Mrs. E. Bennett.

—Johnson-Jeffries fight picture will be shown at Daly's Theater Saturday the 20th.

Eve's Chief Distinction. Eve had the satisfaction of thinking, anyhow, that her husband was the best man in the world. —Farmers Journal.

ONE CENT A WORD

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FOR SALE: Some building materials, pulleys and counter shafts in good condition. Call or write to Tribune office.

WANTED: Farms in exchange for city property, or farm lands in Wisconsin and Michigan.

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FOR SALE: Furniture. First class condition. Will be sold at a bargain. Inquire at Tribune office.

LOST: A black horse on Monday night on the west side, containing ten dollar and two dollar bill and some silver. Finder will be rewarded will be rewarded by leaving same at the office.

FOR SALE: House and lot at 20 North Ave. North. Inquire of Otto Middendorf, 1076, McKittrick St.

FOR SALE: Will sacrifice almost new high grade machinery. Address: care of Tribune office.

LOST: Gold bracelet on Monday, somewhere between city and circus grounds. Finder will be rewarded by returning same to the Neitzel place, 217 North St., Kansas City, Mo. or at this office.

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE: The lower ferry farm, containing 47 and 12 acres, just north of Nekeena. All stock, new machinery and crops for Grand Rapids residence property. Inquire at Tribune office. Owner on the place, Austin Shultz, 21.

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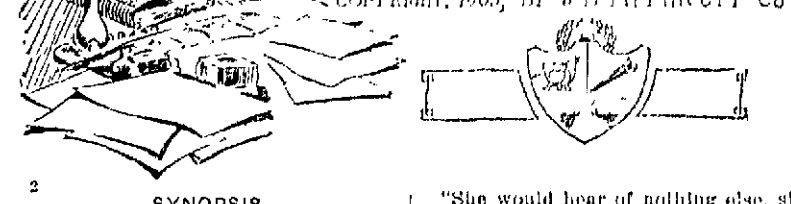


She Presented a Pitiable Sight.

The MASTER of CRAVEN

By MARIE VAN VORST
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SYNOPSIS.

Basel, Tempst, would a great novel and most, perhaps, to be further, heated, made himself up to go to the city of home. His gloomy meditations are broken up by his housekeeper who has taken up his own mind and is about to go to the house. The visitor is Lady Carrow, an American, who has come to Basel to write a study of the nation, but most of all to get a glimpse of the new style of dress, having been promised a good position with a magazine it was said.

CHAPTER I—Continued.

Miss Carrow leaned forward, her hands clasped before her. "I once read two poems of yours—masterpieces. They were only an epilogue—any one could see that they were the forerunners of a longer work, the opening and sequence. I have eagerly been looking for the others in vain!"

"You are mad!" he burst out rudely, and walked away from her across the room, got in between table and window, his back to her. After a while he drew the curtain aside and exposed the black, rain-covered pane to the room's light.

She was not, singularly enough, frightened to death. It would be too much to say she felt a power over Mr. Tempst. She had it, however.

"Perhaps I am mad. I feel sometimes one must comprehend and be sensitive to certain forms of beauty and greatness."

Mr. Tempst came slowly back into the room, holding his hand over his eyes.

"Will you tell them for me—your public—that there are no more verses to follow these? That there is nothing whatsoever to come out of this mad and miserable brain of mine?"

"Tempst? Will you tell them that Tempst is never to write another line so long as he lives?"

He was conscious that Miss Carrow had risen, that she was standing not far away. She had gathered her cloak on her arm.

"No," she said distinctly, "I will not tell them."

His eyes still covered, Tempst shrugged his shoulders. "Well then, what you please, but will you—go? Now—I thank you—but go—your are very good—very good—and clever. I hope I shall not bank your career—women should not have careers."

He heard a door close, the portiere fall. He uncovered his eyes—he was alone.

With an impetuous low and sincere he stood for a moment, his hands clinched by his side, his expression dark and terrible. All likeness to genius and good looks—for it possessed both—was gone from his face. He seemed brooding on horrors. His hair fell over his brow, his head was bent. His eyes now showed bloodshot and full of tears. As strong as he was weak, in his emotions, he was now utterly swayed by them. Like a boy, he brushed away his tears with the back of his hand. After he had stood so for what seemed to him a few minutes, and was really a long time, a gust of wind and rain struck violently against the window and he started. With no care to put his disturbed countenance in order for curious eyes, he went out to find Mrs. Henry in her little room, a corridor or so away.

"Where is the lady you forced upon me, Henry?"

"Gone, Mr. Basil."

"How gone?"

"On foot—and alone in the storm."

Mrs. Henry's tone, if it could, would have sent Miss Carrow drowsy. "What folly and stupidity! Why did you permit it, Henry? You use judgment and discretion—what did you let her go for like that?"

"This rubber—there, over us both. There's a shorter cut to the town if you will take me if there is a still—just there it would be—to the right."

"Yes."

"Then we turn here and should reach Cravenford in three-quarters of an hour. Hush," he said as she thought of him. "I am ashamed of myself. I don't make me feel more so. Tell me, if I am not too curious, where you are bound for?"

"To London tonight—and to America the day after tomorrow."

"Tempst caught his breath. 'You mean you were serious? You came to England to see me, and are going back on the first ship?'"

"Yes," she said simply.

"But I never heard such a venture! Is all your work like that? Seven thousand miles for—"

"Sincerest—yes," she finished. "I suppose so. It makes me feel worth it. I should, of course, have succeeded."

"But you have traveled before—you know Europe?"

"Oh, yes," she said. "I was in school in France. I have traveled, but I have never been in England."

"You must stay," he cried enthusiastically. "England's a garden—this country especially lovely. Why, Cravenford castle is within two miles of the city—Bays and the forest of Ragley."

"I know," said his companion. "I have to the west, low sitting to the sea, and she repeated one of Tempst's sonnets written 15 years before. Her manner of speaking it was delightful, underlaminated, understanding, and simple."

"I said nothing when she came. He did not speak until she had entered the small hall in Cravenford and drew up to the station under a red lantern that swung from the eaves in the rain."

"Two men in elegant dress stood looking their place under the roof shelter. At Tempst's 'Hallo' one of them came out to the platform edge."

"What you, Mr. Tempst, sir?"

"Yes, hold the mare, will you, Ramsdell?"

"There'll be no London train to-night, sir, a beautiful thing. Mores way. No trains out before to-morrow."

"There was a moment's silence on the part of the people in the trap. Then the lady said, 'That there are other trains, surely, in other stations?'"

"Name other way tonight, sir," murmured Mr. Ramsdell.

Tempst stood up in the cart and shook out his hat, from which the water ran. Ramsdell at the mare's head patted her neck, the sweat running from her wet sides was dripped back on her by the rain.

"I have chosen Craven, Miss Carrow, in order that I might be able to do of the world, it has proved to me often that I have succeeded, but never so thoroughly as tonight! There's the station, an alchouse, and a few farms; you can't stay in any of them. We'll drive back then at once to warmth and light."

She thanked him and refused to hear of it. "I shall stay in some one of those houses if they will have me."

He got out of the cart.

"There's a fire in the station, Ramsdell!"

"Yes, sir."

"Let me help you out, Miss Carrow. Please come in for a few moments, and let us see each other, and get out of this infernal drizzle."

She presented a pitiable sight. Drenched through, her hair clinging to her face, her clothing clinging to her like a vine to a tree. He exclaimed with contrition and anger and drew her to the inn, into the red glow.

"You will be ill—your feet and stockings must be dripping. Drink!" He had his flask and forced her to take a generous draught. To all she was obedient.

"Now," he said determinedly, "you must go back with me—don't retaliate so cruelly! Mrs. Henry will care for you like a mother. I can't leave you here."

But wet, meek as her drenched hair made her look, her reddening cheeks proved that all her blood was not beaten out of her by the rain.

"You must leave me here, Mr. Tempst."

"I wish," he said impatiently, "you would be an American, and a modern woman."

She turned her hands before her and he saw how fine they were, how slender and distinguished.

"I am both, however," she replied with a little smile. "I have failed, and I am going back."

"Tempst, without further parley, went to the door and called to Ramsdell."

"Can your wife put this lady—Miss Carrow—up for the night, Ramsdell? Give her a good bed and some hot dinner and good things?"

"Tempst had made of Craven and the Ford a shrine for all the county, and for reasons more human than for his genius alone was adored.

"I expect Ramsdell'll be pleased to do it."

"Come, then," he ordered over his shoulder to the girl, in a tone as masterful as if he had not been beaten.

"Ramsdell has a very decent cottage, not half a mile from the castle—it's clean and well-kept and Polly Ramsdell is a nice creature. I'll let you stay there, or at the castle. He waited impatiently as she put her foot on the step of the cart. She closed her eyes, and he saw that she was weeping.

"Mrs. Ramsdell's, please."

"On the long, wet way back he said: 'I've been a boor; will you forgive me?'"

"You have been most kind, Mr. Tempst."

"No—no—tell me, please, you forgive me?"

"How can you ask it? I should never have so forced myself—"

"You do then—I am obstinate—say the words."

"Well, then, I do, of course, forgive you, Mr. Tempst."

"Will you prove it?"

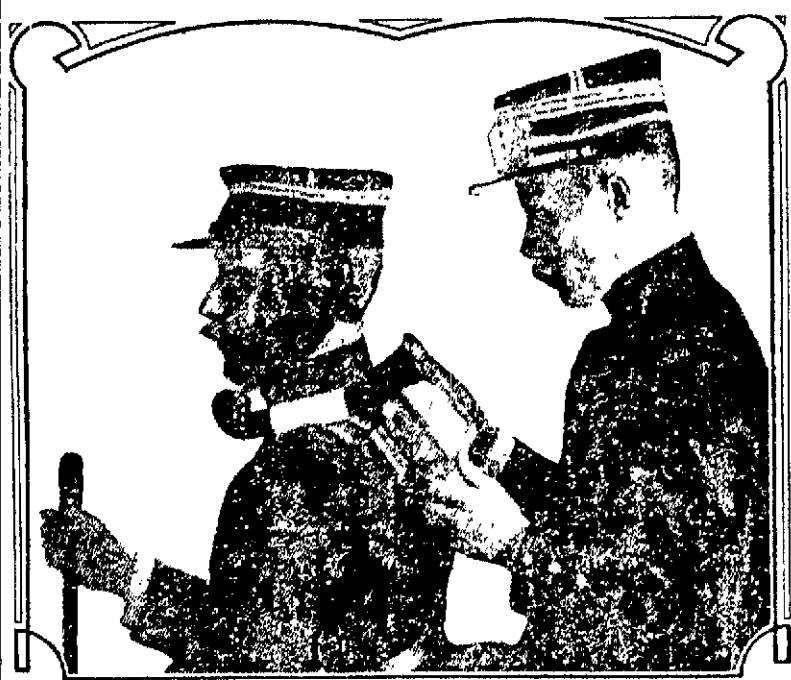
"If I can."

The Ramsdell cottage, a type of hundreds of low-caved, vine-covered dwelling houses, sent out into the rain from the east of the castle, a small window-pane. As the cart approached the door opened and a cheerful bar of light cut into the dark.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

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MAKES IT EASY TO PILOT AEROPLANE



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MUSIC CHARMS COW

Gives More Milk While Orchestra Plays Classical Pieces.

Lake Bluff Dairy Woman Tests Theory of Michigan Farmer and Finds Waitzies Are Most Soothing—Don't Like Ragtime.

Chicago—Shed-eyed cows on the farm of Mrs. Scott Durand in Lake Bluff the other day lost their remorseful feelings, became happy-faced, and gave more milk than they had been accustomed to, because the farm lads milked the 61 Jerseys and Holsteins to the sweet strains of the "Blue Danube" waltz and other selections rendered by an orchestra.

Music-impregnated milk is a fact and not a theory, according to the North Shore society woman, who watched the cows being milked while nine musicians waltzed sweet music over the farm.

Milk taken from the "blossoms," while the orchestra sent forth soothing music, tasted better and had a more happy effect upon the drinkers than the milk served which had not been "music impregnated," according to those who went through the test.

The unique test was made to prove the assertion of a Michigan farmer that cows give more milk while music is being rendered.

The music calmed the nerves of the cows and their udders let down all the milk in them.

Soon after the milking had been finished, Mrs. Durand, who is known as the "Queen of Hostesses," served the milk to the musicians.

"This experiment has been a real revelation to me," said Mrs. Durand after Helen, Charles, Flossie and No. 62, the first four cows, had been milked to the music of the orchestra.

Throwing her arms around Helen Mrs. Durand declared that she had never seen her cows stand so still and contentedly before.

"That's perfectly lovely! Look at their eyes! The cows want more music," she pleaded.

Incubator Dinner New Fad

Rhode Island Farmer Hits Upon Novel Scheme to Bake Beans While Novel Is in Town.

Westerly, R. I.—A drummer who invaded the rural districts here a few days ago with the latest brand of fireless cooker for the economy and comfort of the overworked farmer's wife, left town disgraced with not a sale to his credit. He found the natives equipped with cookers which, they assert, are far ahead of so-called hip-to-date ones.

Walter Russell, a farmer on the post road, is the Moses of the kitchen. A few weeks ago his wife went to town to spend the day. Walter foraged his own breakfast and enough for the help. It was Saturday, and his wife had left instructions to put the big pot of beans in the fire and let them bake all day. Walter had some hocking to do and figured he couldn't waste a day indoors, and he guided his Yankee brain for an idea.

It came.

He took the pot of beans with the big chunk of pork floating on top out into the woodshed where the incubator stood. Turning up the lamp, he took off the weight on the thermostat and shoved in the pot of beans. Shoulders he set out for the field. When his wife returned from town she found the fire out in the kitchen stove and no beans in sight. She prepared a cold supper and a warm welcome for Walter.

Walter hastened to the woodshed, with the scolding wife at his heels. From the incubator he took a steaming hot pot of beans, browned and savory and done to a turn. Afterward he took out a dozen chickens, which the extreme heat had hatched and substituted.

The orchestra shifted from a classical selection to ragtime music. Suddenly the cows grew restive.

"Horrors," declared Mrs. Durand when the orchestra began to play the Cumbola Glee. "Stop it, my cows are cultural and abhor ragtime music as much as they do swarming."

Then the musicians started up a selection from "Puccini." "I Live for Love and Music," and in the announcement of Mrs. Durand and the milkers, the cows became quiet and contented again.

"Do you know I feel that my cows are the mothers of the hundreds of babies fed on Crab Tree farm milk," said the society leader, who had invited the orchestra out to her farm to give a practical demonstration to prove if cows give more milk to the tunes of sweet music than otherwise.

Mrs. Durand had been convinced of this fact and intends to equip her barn with several phonographs.

Stop Killing of Elephants

Friends of Pachyderm in England and France Urge Measures to Halt Extinction.

London—Whether it be the outcome of Mr. Roosevelt's recent hunting trip in Africa or not, a meeting held by the French society known as "The Friends of the Elephant," at which it was decided to approach the French government with the object of securing better reserves for elephants in Africa.

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CLUB TO MAKE NEWSIES GOOD

Omaha Business Men Form Organization to Stop Swearing and Tobacco Using.

Omaha, Neb.—How to keep the 400 newsboys of this city from shooting craps, swearing, smoking and forgetting to wash their hands and faces at proper intervals is a problem that has agitated the members of the Children's Home society. At last it is believed that a solution has been reached.

An organization for the welfare of the newsboys started eight years ago fell through, and since then the youngsters have been permitted to grow up and run wild. Now they are to be taken in hand and their condition bettered.

Probation Officer Bernstein has interested a number of business men of the city and a club has been organized with E. W. Dickinson, capitalist; Homer Miller, proprietor of the largest hotel in the city; J. A. Cudahy, a packer; and E. W. Dickinson, a publisher, who has always interested himself in boys, and Judge Sutton of the juvenile court as trustees.

The committee having immediate charge of the welfare of the boys is made up of Joe Carroll, Tony Costanzo, Tony Monico and Sam Kallin, all of them were once newsboys, but now are prosperous business men.

The following rules have been adopted by the committee to govern the actions of the boys:

No smoking, chewing, gambling or jumping on street cars.

Must have clean faces and hands.

No going into saloons.

Must be loyal to one another.

Must be off the streets at eight o'clock at night unless an extra is out.

No boy under eight years of age shall sell papers.

Every boy under sixteen years of age shall attend one session of school daily.

No foul or profane language.

A large room has been rented near the business portion of the city. It has been equipped with a small library, tables on which games of many kinds can be played, tubs and shower baths.

The club will be self-governed and controlled by the boys, but over its affairs a committee of business men will have general supervision.

It will cost the boys nothing to join the club. Each member is given a numbered badge for identification and as a certificate of character. If a complaint is filed against any boy, or if a boy becomes troublesome, a report is made to the juvenile court, where Judge Sutton will investigate and take the necessary action.

Life, both at home and in the colonies and British dependencies; to further the formation of game reserves and sanctuaries, the selection of the most suitable places for these sanctuaries and the enforcement of suitable game laws and regulations.

"The society devotes considerable attention to the preservation of elephants, and has sent many deputations on the subject to successive foreign and colonial secretaries. Elephant reserves at present exist in all our African colonies where those animals are found. In British India, no elephants are allowed to be killed, and it is hoped that similar sanctuaries will, owing to the efforts of the French society, be extended to the elephants in the French West African possessions."

"For the year ended March, 1908, 539 tons of ivory, worth \$2,892,760, were imported into the United Kingdom alone. Taking the average ton to weigh 40 pounds (a very liberal estimate), this means the death of more than fifteen thousand elephants. The ivory was practically all African, the quantity from India being only of the value of \$175,000. If this animal slaughter is allowed to continue we are, alas! already in sight of the extinction of the African elephant, but it is hoped that the efforts of the British and French societies will stir public opinion and prevent such a deplorable loss to the fauna of the world."

To Spend \$30,000,000.

Lisbon.—Two battleships, six protected cruisers, eighteen destroyers, and six submarines are to be built by the Portuguese government at an estimated cost of \$30,000,000.

Burglars Steal An Aeroplane.

Paris.—Some burglar recently stole an aeroplane at Versailles. The local gendarmes are somewhat puzzled by the offense.

Traveling in Hobo's Guise.

Wealthy Hungarian Land Owner Fears Robbery If He Appears to Be Prosperous.

New York.—Wearing the garb of a tramp to give the impression that he is a poor man, Ladis Berran, one of the wealthiest landowners of eastern Hungary, arrived here the other day on the last lap of a trip around the world. Although over sixty-five years old, Mr. Berran has never been absent from his frontier home before, and he entertains the idea that America is filled with brigands, that only unceasing vigilance and the avoidance of formal signs of prosperity can save him from being robbed before he gets back to Tiszafeher, his native town.

When he registered at a local hotel with his two companions, both husky six-footers, he gave orders that he was not to be approached by any strangers.

One of the two huskies is a nephew of the aged traveler, Michael Berran, professor of chemistry in a school at Budapest. His other companion is an Italian who acts as interpreter. This

man said, explaining the older Mr. Berran's eccentric garb and customs: "Life on the frontier of Hungary is very primitive, as it lies next to the country of Turkey. There are no cities there have strange ideas about the other parts of the world. Mr. Berran has feared all along that if he dressed in style he would be robbed. We have repeatedly begged him to buy new clothing and then visit the barber, but he clings to his old clothes and ways, asserting that no one would rob a man who did not look prosperous. He has heard strange tales of robberies in America."

Dead Man Runs Automobile.

Portland, Me.—A dead man was the only occupant of a moving automobile for a short time the other day. While riding alone D. Winslow Hawkes, one of the best-known educators in Maine, died of heart trouble. His automobile ran along the curb and stopped without being overturned.

OPENLY FOR SPOILS

ATTITUDE OF REPUBLICAN PARTY PLAINLY SHOWN.

Collier's Weekly Makes Public Letter Written by Subordinate of Secretary Ballinger Which Admits of But One Inference.

In a recent issue Collier's Weekly published a letter written by a subordinate of Secretary Ballinger of the interior department, which probably shows the spirit of the Ballinger administration of that great branch of the national government. The writer of the letter is W. H. Batting, a nephew of Senator Heyburn of Idaho, and the interior department official in charge of the land office at Council Bluffs. The epistle is addressed to the editor of a newspaper which had formerly been awarded advertising patronage at the disposition of the land office.

The letter was sent in explanation of the withdrawal of advertising patronage from the newspaper in question. "Naturally," writes Mr. Batting, "under a Republican administration such notice goes to the Republican newspapers." This is a frank presentation of the spoilsman's view of politics that might have caused much in the day of Andrew Jackson and Andrew Van Buren, but it was scarcely novel in connection with the present.

It will cost the boys nothing to join the club. Each member is given a numbered badge for identification and as a certificate of character. If a complaint is filed against any boy, or if a boy becomes troublesome, a report is made to the juvenile court, where Judge Sutton will investigate and take the necessary action.

Life, both at home and in the colonies and British dependencies; to further the formation of game reserves and sanctuaries, the selection of the most suitable places for these sanctuaries and the enforcement of suitable game laws and regulations.

"The society devotes considerable attention to the preservation of elephants, and has sent many deputations on the subject to successive foreign and colonial secretaries. Elephant reserves at present exist in all our African colonies where those animals are found. In British India, no elephants are allowed to be killed, and it is hoped that similar sanctuaries will, owing to the efforts of the French society, be extended to the elephants in the French West African possessions."

"For the year ended March, 1908, 539 tons of ivory, worth \$2,892,760, were imported into the United Kingdom alone. Taking the average ton to weigh 40 pounds (a very liberal estimate), this means the death of more than fifteen thousand elephants. The ivory was practically all African, the quantity from India being only of the value of \$175,000. If this animal slaughter is allowed to continue we are, alas! already in sight of the extinction of the African elephant, but it is hoped that the efforts of the British and French societies will stir public opinion and prevent such a deplorable loss to the fauna of the world."

To Spend \$30,000,000.

Lisbon.—Two battleships, six protected cruisers, eighteen destroyers, and six submarines are to be built by the Portuguese government at an estimated cost of \$30,000,000.

Burglars Steal An Aeroplane.

Paris.—Some burglar recently stole an aeroplane at Versailles. The local gendarmes are somewhat puzzled by the offense.

Traveling in Hobo's Guise.

Wealthy Hungarian Land Owner Fears Robbery If He Appears to Be Prosperous.

New York.—Wearing the garb of a tramp to give the impression that he is a poor man, Ladis Berran, one of the wealthiest landowners of eastern Hungary, arrived here the other day on the last lap of a trip around the world. Although over sixty-five years old, Mr. Berran has never been absent from his frontier home before, and he entertains the idea that America is filled with brigands, that only unceasing vigilance and the avoidance of formal signs of prosperity can save him from being robbed before he gets back to Tiszafeher, his native town.

When he registered at a local hotel with his two companions, both husky six-footers, he gave orders that he was not to be approached by any strangers.

One of the two huskies is a nephew of the aged traveler, Michael Berran, professor of chemistry in a school at Budapest. His other companion is an Italian who acts as interpreter. This

man said, explaining the older Mr. Berran's eccentric garb and customs: "Life on the frontier of Hungary is very primitive, as it lies next to the country of Turkey. There are no cities there have strange ideas about the other parts of the world. Mr. Berran has feared all along that if he dressed in style he would be robbed. We have repeatedly begged him to buy new clothing and then visit the barber, but he clings to his old clothes and ways, asserting that no one would rob a man who did not look prosperous. He has heard strange tales of robberies in America."

Dead Man Runs Automobile.

Portland, Me.—A dead man was the only occupant of a moving automobile for a short time the other day. While riding alone D. Winslow Hawkes, one of the best-known educators in Maine, died of heart trouble. His automobile ran along the curb and stopped without being overturned.

Girls Take Bicycle Trip.

Two Americans, Making European Record, Take Majordomo for Real Prince.

Dresden—Among the crowds of Americans who took part in the demonstrations in Berlin were two American girls engaged in the task of building up a European bicycling record.

They are Hattie Sherborne and Maud Handley, both of Brooklyn. Landing at Cherbourg they cycled through France, spending three days in Paris. Italy was the next country visited, and after Italy, Germany, Copenhagen, Christiania and Stockholm are also to be visited.

According to the account given by the travelers to a Dresden paper their journey up to that point was free from any disagreeable incident. They told, however, of an occurrence of an amusing kind if it also brought them a little disappointment. On one occasion, when they were near Cannes, a tire

was punctured and they were threatened with being stranded, when the prince of Monaco's automobile came along and gave them a lift. There was a splendidly dressed gentleman in the car whom they at first took for the prince himself, but who turned out to be only his majordomo.

"After having imagined ourselves for twenty minutes talking with a live prince," said Miss Handley, "we were really vexed to discover our mistake."

New Bug Poisons Blood.

Pottsville, Pa.—Frank Ebach may lose his right hand as the result of being stung by a new bug of greenish color, much resembling a mosquito, which is now as much of a pest in Schuylkill county as the seventeen-year locusts. There are scores of victims in this vicinity and blood poisoning has been caused in several instances.

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SAMPLE OF TARIFF ROBBERY

In Buying Cotton Goods We Pay 30 Cents More for Each One Dollar Than We Should.

A fresh batch of young girls, with a married woman, probably her mother, stood examining some cotton fabric cut a dry goods counter in a large department store. The fabrics were of different qualities and prices. The girl took the cheapest—evidently because it was the cheapest.

What if these two women were told that the tariff robbed them of the five cents? Yet that would be the truth. In every dollar of cotton goods, stockings, gloves and other things they pay at least thirty cents more than they need pay because of the tariff.

Cotton manufacturers may be divided into three grades: coarse, medium and fine. In the coarse grades we compete with the world in the foreign market. In some divisions of the medium grades, we compete to some degree. In the finer grades we not only do not compete abroad, but we do not compete at home. The foreign cotton prints as well as hosiery and embroidery, pay our high tariff and beat us in our own market.

Why is this?

We are the greatest cotton growers in the world. We not only grow the most cotton but the best quality. England, Japan and other people buy our raw cotton.

Comparisons also show that per yard our labor cost is lower. We work more spindles and more looms per acre than the lower paid operatives elsewhere.

Thus we have the advantages in respect to raw cotton and labor.

But we are handicapped in our tariff on machinery, on supplies and on the very buildings in which manufacturing is carried on.

All these handicaps away, it is probable that we



Johns—I heard you tell that man to never darken your door again. Trying to marry your daughter?
Thomas—No; he's a painter and he painted my front door ebony instead of oak.

A BAD THING TO NEGLECT.

Don't neglect the kidneys when you notice lack of control over the secretions. Passages become too frequent or too scanty, urine is discolored and sediment appears. No medicine for such troubles like Doan's Kidney Pills. They quickly remove kidney disorders.

A. Doan's, 241 N. Grant St., Woonsocket, R. I. "The doctor diagnosed my case as gravel, but my agony increased under their treatment, and I soon became too weak to stand alone. I had given up all hope of living more than a few weeks at the best. I was strongly urged to try Doan's Kidney Pills, and after twelve days' use, I passed two gravel stones. After that, I improved rapidly until cured." Remember the name—Doan's.

For sale by all druggists. 50 cents a box. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Man wants more and more of a reward each year. Particularly breeds contempt, even of a man's own salary.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar coated, tiny granules, easy to take. Do not grip.

Cleaned Out.
"I can't pay this taxicab bill."
"Then I'll take you to a police station."
"I'll pay it. But take me to the poorhouse and leave me there."
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Reformation.
"You say you're a reformer?"
"Yep," replied the local boss; "of the deepest dye."
"But you were not always so?"
"No." The reformer reformed our town last year and I want to reform it back again."

119 Years Old When He Died.
Paddy Blake, who was born at Ballygreene, parish of Kilmacough, County Clare, Ireland, 119 years ago, has died in the Corcoran Union hospital. Paddy had a clear memory of events that happened a hundred years ago and was one of those who went to see Daniel O'Connell passing through Limerick Pike on his way to Exeter for the great election of 1828.

What They Did With Them.
An American who spends much of his time in England tells of a cockney who went to a dealer in dogs and thus described what he wanted: "I'll want a kind of dog about so 'igh an' so long. It's a kind of 'gr'ound, an' yet it ain't a gr'ound, because 'is 'tyle is shorter nor any of these 'ere gr'ounds. 'is nose is shorter, an' 'e ain't so slim round the body. But still 'e's a kind of 'gr'ound. Do you keep such dogs?" "We do not," said the dog man. "We drown 'em."

It Wouldn't Stretch.
The assessor was doing the very best he could, but the farmer was shrewd and wary.

"How many acres of farming land have you?" he inquired warily.
"About 20, I guess," said Rouben.
"Twenty? Why, it looks to me like nearer 120. Come, now, can't you increase that a little? There are surely more than 20 acres in that tract. Suppose you stretch that a little."
"Say, feller," said the farmer, "this ain't no rubber plantation."—Harper's Monthly.

It Was the Other Way.
"Mr. Jones," said the senior partner in the wholesale dry goods house to the drummer who stood before him in the private office, "you have been with us for the past ten years."

"Yes, sir."
"And you ought to know the rules of the house. One of them is that no man of ours shall take a side line."
"But I have none, sir."
"But you have lately got married." "Yes, but you call that a side line, Mr. Jones?"

"Technically, it may not be."
"You needn't fear that having a wife is going to bring me in off a trip any sooner."

"Oh, I don't. It is the fear that having a wife at home you'll want to stay out on the road altogether!"

No Trouble—

A Saucer,
A Little Cream,
and

Post Toasties

right from the box.

Breakfast in a minute, and you have a meal as delicious as it is wholesome.

Post Toasties are crisp and flavory—golden-brown, fluffy bits that almost melt in the mouth.

"The Memory Lingers"
POSTUM CEREAL CO., LTD.,
Battle Creek, Mich.

NOTES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM
By William Pitt



A brood sow must be fed properly.

Kill Canadian thistles and quick grass.

Wheat bran and oats make strong bones in the colt.

The usual time required for churning is about 20 minutes.

Improvements furnish a few comforts and all something to admire.

Rub off the water sprouts between the thumb and finger as soon as they appear.

A lazy man should never breed colts, for he must be alert and on the job if he wishes to succeed.

Man imitates nature. By grafting schemes he improves on nature. After that nature imitates him.

An attendant should be on hand at the time of birth, for a little timely help has saved many a valuable colt.

Clean water, pure air and sunshine are all free; and they are necessary in the production of pure, wholesome milk.

Pigs, and in fact all hogs, should have ready access at all times to salt and ash. Charred corn cobs are also excellent.

Milk and dampness are great hindrances. The first fosters vermin; the second brings most dangerous ailments to foals.

Some people claim that a hog is a scavenger by nature, but he certainly thrives better on clean feed and decent surroundings.

Watch for cabbage bugs and cabbage worms. These insects usually cause trouble when the weather gets dry and food is scarce.

The dominant secret of successful swine raising is to keep the pigs that come in a given season of the year as uniform in size as possible.

All of the corn ground should be manured or otherwise well fertilized for a large yield, and no farmer should be content with a small yield.

Eternal vigilance is the price of having the best; no one must watch for insect pests and be ready with insecticides and fungicides to destroy them.

Many farmers for the past few years are disking their corn ground before plowing, claiming that it not only benefits the soil, but makes plowing easier.

Soy beans are apt to be low in germination unless the seed is fresh and has been properly stored. It is well to germinate all seed before planting.

A ration of corn, oats and timothy is not satisfactory for producing finished horses for market, but may be materially improved by the addition of all meal.

The cow's appetite is important, but it should not be abused. As much harm comes from allowing her to eat too much as comes from not allowing her to eat enough.

It is a good plan to keep all vegetation down around the hives, so that it will not interfere with the flight of the working bees, their hive and the feeding ground.

The best dairymen now practise intensive methods with their cows, making them yield the greatest amount of milk possible by liberal feeding and the best of shelter and other care.

Geese may be picked every six weeks in warm weather, but they must be well fed. When they are picked often they do not lay, as the growth of new feathers weakens and debilitates them.

Pow sheep have no good care as they ought to have. Too many farmers leave them to shift for themselves. They can't do their best that way. Make much of your sheep. They are one of the best kind of property on the farm.

The texture of butter depends partly on the animal, partly on feed, and partly upon the temperature of the cream when churned. Cows that give the richest milk make the most solid butter. In summer the feeding of a small quantity of cotton seed meal will help to make the butter firm.

Bluishphide of carbon on a piece of burlap or oakum, thrown quickly down a pocket gopher's burrow, preferably when the soil is moist, Professor Washburn, Minnesota entomologist, says has killed many pocket gophers in his experiment work. He uses half a pint of bluishphide at a burrow.

All soils with a retentive subsoil should be tile drained, and work should be most perfectly planned and executed. Should water stand a few hours on the land a season's crop may be lost. Soil that is well drained will allow the heat and air to penetrate to a greater depth and will withstand drought better than one that is not.

Attractive flower beds add much to the charm of the flower garden. Colour, salvia and phlox are well adapted for bedding purposes. Plants may be bedded now if they are watered occasionally during summer.

The day of feeding stock of any kind, and especially sheep, on the ground has gone by. It was a most wasteful way. Sheep will drag more hay out on the ground and spoil it for their own eating or that of any other animal than any other farm animal. Racks are cheaper than hay.

Sheep gain in clover.

Plant young, medium-size trees.

Every farmer should improve his land.

The strawberry will thrive in a great variety of soils.

A ration rich in protein is the only ration fit for the brood sow.

A wheel hoe is a very good paying investment for any one who has a garden.

Unleached wood ash sown broadcast in the orchard will prove beneficial.

Start the milk with the thumb and finger if the colt is not very strong, or if the udder is at all hard.

Just the climbing roses with sulphur early in the morning, while the dew is on, to prevent mildew.

A cool, well ventilated pen is ideal, but it must be free from drafts or you will surely have trouble.

The ground is a bank in which the farmer invests manure, seed, tilling, time and thought. All are important.

There is no better or cheaper place to develop a young horse and put him in proper shape for market than on the farm.

Sweet corn may be canned and kept through the winter, but it requires considerable time and patience to cook it properly.

Feed top and stalks as much as a standard mixture for wet meadows as timothy and red clover for the better and drier uplands.

Two dranes cost as much to raise as three workers, and after they are raised they keep on eating, while the workers labor for you.

The chief value of the Runner ducks and the point which has made them the most talked of in duck history is their great laying habits.

Good roads contribute much toward rural development. The money spent upon building and maintaining roads returns in splendid dividends.

The farmer who grows a liberal supply of roots for his hogs seldom has much trouble with the ordinary diseases to which swine are subject.

Difference in individuals to produce maximum flow of milk should prompt every dairymaid to weed out his inferior animals as early as possible.

When the ewe has lambed, if the lamb, after becoming dry, is not able to obtain the ewe's milk of its own accord, it should be assisted in doing so.

To obtain the earliest and finest vegetables the soil should be kept fine and loose throughout the growing season by frequent hoeings or cultivations.

A good bee smoker rightly used is necessary to handle bees, as by its use one can subdue them so that they may be handled with few if any stings.

The amateur must learn to thin ruthlessly. Plants that grow too close together never do well. Pinch off all the suckers from fruit and ornamental trees.

Unless the owner is a thorough fancier and has time and facilities for keeping them unmixed the keeping of more than one variety is exasperating and seldom profitable.

Make bird-houses and thus secure the presence and esteem of these active insect-destructors. Also protect every foal and try to keep a few about the home place.

When a hen is through setting burn all the old nest material, disinfect the nest box and give it a coat of liquor. Use-kilner to make a good job of it, and then put in fresh material.

After the hay has been in the mow a few weeks the leaves become tender, and when the hay is handled for feeding purposes break off and go to waste. This waste is far greater than generally realized by most farmers.

Keep some kind of a crop growing in the garden the entire season. If nothing else is done sow wheat or rye on the vacant places to keep weeds from springing up and maturing seed. Weeds ripen in a very short time, if they are allowed to grow.

The greatest profit in raising bees is secured by a well-directed method of dividing the colonies when in a proper condition to do so, and restraining their instincts, as far as may be, to swarm when the surrounding circumstances are unfavorable for an increase of colonies.

The cows which produce best are usually those which were well prepared for their milking period. Breed and strain or family are important factors, but important and necessary as they both are, neither, in itself, is a guarantee of production. Feed is equally, and possibly more important.

If the busy woman on the farm finds it takes too much time to make her butter into pound prints, which are some trouble to make and still more difficult to keep without ice, she can purchase small jars of crocks which hold a pound each, and which cost but a few cents, the customers to return them when the butter is used.

Don't wait until the clover heads have all turned brown before you begin to cut it for hay. If you do you will lose just about one-half of the feeding value of the crop. Cut red clover as nearly in full bloom as possible. Start the mower when the field looks red, when about two-thirds of the clover is in full bloom. Before you get the crop secured it will be pretty ripe for good hay.

Cottensed meal at \$1.50 per hundredweight is better and cheaper to feed with corn to dairy cows than oil meal at the same price or than bran at even as low as \$1 per hundredweight.

Soil is composed of minute particles of disintegrated rock. These rock particles contain chemical substances. These substances must be in solution. Hence the first great office of cultivation is to conserve heated moisture in the soil to aid in making soluble mineral plant food.

Dress Up-to-Date.

A GIRL'S WARDROBE

ALWAYS NEEDS SOME ADDITIONS IN MIDSUMMER.

Dame Fashion Deceals That the Children Shall Not Be Too Elaborately Dressed in Hot Weather—White Frocks.

A growing girl's wardrobe always needs some additions in midsummer time, for the hot weather, if nothing else, demands a change of style and material. The innocents have to look up seasonable effects for these supplementary dresses, which fast-

would be suitable, on a smaller scale, for dolls. The bebe or poupee-doll and baby-styles now distinguish all the best garments in every department, worn by well-dressed little girls.

In both wash materials and summer silks there are now fabulous bargains to be found in the shops, some of these in the very newest textures, whether shown in remnants or in the piece. French percales in a soft, fine weave have dropped to the low price of 16 cents a yard; silk wavy dotted chiffons—likewise a cotton material—are going at 25 cents; swiss pongee—which is an English fabric much used for the little imported frocks—also sells for 25 cents. This is 45 inches wide, so a very small quantity would be needed for the simple little frock.

Pink-dot handkerchief muslin—sometimes with delicate flower sprays over the dotting—which is a delightfully cool fabric, is 18 cents a yard, and there are silk and cotton crepes of French manufacture—which may be made most attractive with ribbon trimmings, priced 28 cents the yard. These are in every color of the rainbow, and they may be trimmed with white lace or have the ribbon garniture match.

Indeed there is no excuse for missy not having a fine little hot weather frock if her mother can sew, for all the models are simple to an astonishing degree, and with a little taste, a very small expenditure will turn out the right thing.

The dress shown in the illustration, which has a Gibson bodice with Dutch neck and a skirt in box platts, is here made of a blue and white percale, with a little white linen treated to simple hand embroidery on the bodice. All-over Hamburg embroidery, however, could very well be used here, or the waist trimming could be made in a plain color.

For a girl of ten 6 1/2 yards, 27 inches wide would be required, and since very fine little percales may be had for 12 1/2 cents, and really beautiful insertion for 16, it can be seen how cheap the dress would be.

A heavy linen or a silk with some body would likewise respond to this treatment, lace or a contrasting silk trimming the latter texture and Hamburg embroidery the former.

SMARTNESS OF SIMPLICITY

Secret of the Woman Whose House, Appearance and Conversation Create Best Impression.

Think of the woman whose house, whose appearance, whose conversation creates the best impression and you will realize that absolute simplicity is the secret. Remember this in selecting your summer clothes, or furnishing your summer home, also when you meet strangers on your summer vacation.

Unfortunately, simplicity is not cheap. You will pay more for the hat of simple lines, the frock that is of exquisitely dainty embroidery and sheerness of material, than you will for something more ornate and dashing.

If you wish to pass a woman who knows, you will no more ever discard your back than you will your digestion. Better a dress that has the lines of irreproachable taste and quality than the elaborate wardrobe of flaunting finery. It will doubtless mean having your clothes made to order or weary rounds of the shops in search of the simple, but it pays.

It is not always possible to have the house simple. If you rent your landlord's taste is sure to be fancy and the fixtures and decorations will bring your heart. The furniture is up to you. There are nowadays so many good copies of artistic old pieces that there is no excuse for the hideous display of houses furnished in the middle of the last century and later.

Adopt simple scheme of decoration for your entire house and make everything bought conform to it. This does not need the training of a professional decorator; any woman who makes a study of simplicity and keeps her eyes open for bargains in that line can achieve it.

These three rules go far in the right direction: Stick to good lines of the period chosen; do not overwork and buy only the best, though it must be a piece at a time with long waits between.

Simplicity of manner is the crowning touch—the real you. The rest is but the outer shell, a matter of training or perhaps of a skilled decorator, or clever modiste. Do not post, do not be affected, above all, do not boast. You may not realize it, but in meeting strangers the simple, easy, sincere manner makes a much better impression with the right people, than airs, much manner, or great assumption of place and power.



The best kind of a dannel for a fomentation is a piece of soft old blanket, old flannel answering better than new. Remember always to dry the patient's skin carefully after removing one fomentation and before putting on the next.

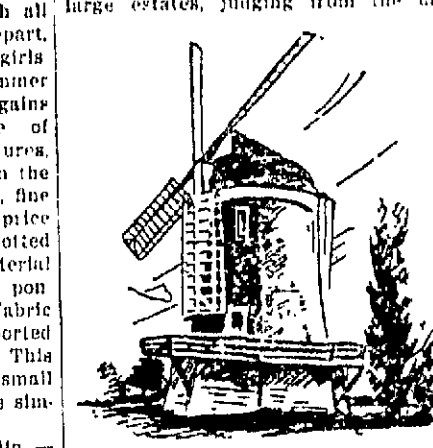
A cooked potato is excellent as a means of cleaning and whitening the hands. The potato should be cut in half and rubbed over the backs and fingers after they have been soaked for a minute or two in warm water. Potato should be used in this manner instead of soap.

If the hands should have become much stained with ink they should be rubbed with lemon juice. Should this fail to remove the stains a good plan is that of adding a little pearl ash to water and dipping the hands in the solution, rubbing them, well with a piece of flannel until the marks

UNIQUE THATCHED WINDMILL

Old World Form of Supplying Water for Household Convenience Still Seen in Pennsylvania.

Arlington, Pa.—"Something unique" is more to be desired than anything that represents mere cost or formality, in the decoration of the grounds of large estates, judging from the un-



The Thatched Windmill.

usual types represented in many forms of garden utility. In suburban Philadelphia this thought is frequently made distinctive in the building of garden retreats, terraces, porches and various sorts of garden architecture. But there seems to be a special deal at present for displaying unique features in the construction of windmills.

The old world form of supplying water for household convenience still forms a picturesque feature in many suburban sections. But it was only recently that the thatched windmill were introduced, one of the finest types having been constructed on the Herling estate in Abington. Other millionaire country seats of this section and also those of Jenkintown and Wynnton, have of late shown some rather startling and decidedly pleasing ideas in windmill construction; but it has remained for the Herling country seat to set forth the unique in picturesque windmill construction.

Not only is the roof of the famous Herling windmill thatched in regulation type, but, fashioned after the most quaint of old world types, the entire mill, which is divided into several spacious rooms in its three-story structure, is neatly and compactly thatched on all sides.

When Walter Herling conceived the idea of introducing this unusual type of windmill on his beautiful Abington estate he little thought of the difficulties in his way. It is not surprising that it stands alone in its picturesque beauty, for few would have the patience to oversee its tedious construction. Finally, at great expense, after other plans had failed, a genuine old Scotchman was imported especially for this work. The expense of getting him to the Abington country seat, and of boarding him, and of humoring him throughout all the tedious process of the work, is now amply repaid in the possession of the only particularly beautiful thatching of this type to be found in this country.

WIDOW OF SENATOR HEARST

She is Recognized as One of the Country's Pronounced and Most Generous Philanthropists.

San Francisco.—There are few philanthropists in this country who are better known or whose generosity along certain lines is more pronounced than Mrs. Phoebe Apperson Hearst of California. She is the widow of United States Senator George Hearst and the mother of William Randolph Hearst of New York. A detailed account of all that this splendid woman has accomplished with her vast wealth to lighten the burden of the poor and to help humanity in general, would be



Impossible, but among the many projects for which she is responsible may be mentioned five kindergarten classes for poor children in San Francisco. These she established and endowed, along with a manual training school in Washington. Mrs. Hearst also gave \$200,000 to build the National Cathedral for Girls, and her subscription to other institutions could not be reckoned, so numerous have they been. Aside from her fame as a philanthropist, Mrs. Hearst is noted a woman of great charm and as a delightful hostess.

Makes Work for Girls.
Telephones, says the United States department of labor and commerce, furnish employment for almost as many women as any other business in the country. The growth of the system throughout the country has opened more and more opportunities for girls who live at home and wish to earn from \$5 to \$10 a week. The business has become so great that it ranks among "the chief occupations for women, and everywhere ranks close to saleswomen and stenographers as a field of work for women."

The great majority of the girls are daughters of American-born parents and are of a high average of intelligence.

He Wonders Why.
The philosopher of life's simpler problems thinks it strange that a few women are worrying for fear they will be kissed, when so many more women worry for fear they won't be.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Will Be Lonely.
The Man in the Chair—"I enjoy a quiet smoke." The Other—"Well, you'll never be troubled with crowds while you smoke cigars of that brand!"

Revived.
The new gowns, of materials light in weight and color, are all showing a shirred or gathered band, sometimes of lace or embroidery, sometimes of the dress goods, just above the knees. Soon, doubtless, we will be wearing sashes there, as our grandmothers did before the day of feminine athleticism. Meanwhile, here is an easy way to rejuvenate a dress of this sort and to lengthen a made-over gown that is too short.

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Did you hear it? How embarrassing. Thence stomach noises make you wish you could sink through the floor. You imagine everyone hears them. Keep a box of CAS-CARETS in your purse or pocket and take a part of one after eating. It will relieve the stomach of gas.



RAW ECZEMA ON HANDS

"I had eczema on my hands for ten years. I had three good doctors but none of them did any good. I then used one box of Cuticura Ointment and three bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and was completely cured. My hands were raw all over, inside and out, and the eczema was spreading all over my body and limbs. Before I had used one bottle, together with the Cuticura Ointment, my hands were nearly healed over, and by the time I had used the third bottle, I was entirely well. To any one who has any skin or blood disease I would honestly advise them to fool with nothing else, but get Cuticura and get well. My hands have never given me the least bit of trouble up to now."

"My daughter's hands this summer became perfectly raw with eczema. She could get nothing that would do them any good until she tried Cuticura. She used Cuticura Resolvent and Cuticura Ointment and in two weeks they were entirely cured. I have used Cuticura for other members of my family and it always proved successful. Mrs. M. E. Fulin, Speers Ferry, Va., Oct. 19, 1909."

The Worst.
An old Irish peasant was one Sunday sitting in front of his cottage puffing away furiously at his pipe. Match after match he lighted, pulling hard at the pipe the while, until at last the ground all round his feet was strewn with struck matches.

"Come in to your dinner, Patsy," at length called out his wife.

"Patsy, and Oi will be a minute, Biddy," said he. "Mistake Mulrooney a bit av ghass Oi cud see the spots on the sun. Oi don't know whether Moke's been a fooling me or whether Oi've got hold av the wrong kind of ghass."—Scraps.

She Knew the Worst.
Mistress (hiring servant)—I hope you know your place?
Servant—Oh, yes, mum! The last three girls you had told me all about it.

For Red, Itching Eyelids, Cysts, Styes, Puffing Eyelashes and All Eyes That Need Care Try Muring Eye Salve. Ascertained by Dr. Muring, 147 York Street, New York. Write Muring Eye Remedy Co., Chicago.

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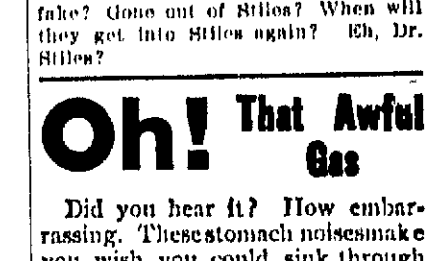
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Get regular and regular. They are best. CARTER'S LITTLE LIVER PILLS. Purely vegetable. Get a box from the nearest druggist. Small Pill, Small Dose, Small Price. Genuine without Signature. *Beattwood*

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The Tenderfoot Farmer

It was one of these experimental farmers, who put green spectacles on his cow and fed her shavings. His theory was that it didn't matter what the cow ate so long as the was fed. The questions of digestion and nourishment had not entered into his calculations.

DIDN'T LIKE DARK COLORS.



John—I heard you tell that man to never darken your door again. Trying to marry your daughter?
Thomas—No, he's a painter and he painted my front door ebony instead of oak.

A BAD THING TO NEGLECT.

Don't neglect the kidneys when you notice lack of control over the secretions. Passages become too frequent or scanty; urine is discolored and sediment appears. No medicine for such troubles like Doan's Kidney Pills. They quickly remove kidney disorders.

A. Dasher, 241 N. Grant St., Worcester, O., says: "The doctor diagnosed my case as gravel, but my agony increased under their treatment, and I soon became too weak to stand alone. I had given up all hope of living more than a few weeks at the best. I was miraculously cured by Doan's Kidney Pills, and after twelve days' use, I passed two gravel stones. After that, I improved rapidly until cured." Remember the name—Doan's. For sale by all druggists. 50 cents a box. Foster-McBirney Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Man wants more and more of a reward each year. Familiarity breeds contempt, even of a man's own salary.

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets regulate and invigorate stomach, liver and bowels. Sugar-coated, tiny granules, easy to take. Do not gripe.

Cleaned Out.
"I can't pay this taxicab bill."
"Then I'll take you to a police station."
"I'll pay it. But take me to the policehouse and leave me there."
—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Reformation.
"You say you're a reformer?"
"Yep," replied the local boss; "of the deepest dye."
"But you're not always so."
"No," the reformers reformed our town last year and I want to reform it back again."

119 Years Old When He Died.
Paddy Blake, who was born at Ballycree, parish of Kilmacool, County Clare, Ireland, 119 years ago, has died in the Corcoran Hospital Paddy had a clear memory of events that happened a hundred years ago and was one of those who went to see Daniel O'Connell passing through Bunnry Pike on his way to Exeter for the great election of 1828.

What They Did With Them.
An American who spends much of his time in England tells a cockney who went to a dealer in dogs and thus described what he wanted. "I'll want a kind of dog about so 'igh up' so long. It'll be a kind of gr'ound, an' yet it ain't a gr'ound, because 'is t'yle is shorter nor any of these 'ere gr'ounds, an' 'is nose is shorter, 'is 'is to 'is so long round the body. But still 'is a kind of gr'ound. Dog you keep such dogs?" "We do not," said the dog man. "We draw 'em."

It Wouldn't Stretch.
The assessor was doing the very best he could, but the farmer was stumped and wary.

"How many acres of farming land have you?" he inquired warily.
"Twenty," he replied.
"Twenty? Why, it looks to me like nearer 120. Come now, can't you increase that a little? There are surely more than 20 acres in that tract. Suppose you stretch that a little."

"Say, feller," said the farmer, "this ain't no rubber plantation."—Harper's Monthly.

It Was the Other Way.
"Mr. Jones," said the sailor partner in the wholesale dry goods house to the drummer who stood before him in the private office, "you have been with us for the past ten years."

"And you ought to know the rules of the house. One of them is that no man of ours shall take a side line."

"But I have none, sir."
"But you have lately got married."

"Yes, but can you call that a side line, Mr. Jones?"

"Technically, it may not be."

"You needn't fear that having a wife is going to bring me in off a trip any sooner."

"Oh, I don't. It is the fear that having a wife at home will want to stay out on the road altogether!"

No Trouble—
A Saucer,
A little Cream,
and
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Toasties

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Breakfast in a minute, and you have a meal as delightful as it is wholesome.

Post Toasties are crisp and flavory—golden-brown, fluffy bits that almost melt in the mouth.

"The Memory Lingers"

VOICES FROM MEADOWBROOK FARM



By William Pitt

A brood sow must be fed properly.

Kill Canadian thistles and quick grass.

Wheat bran and oats make strong bones in the colt.

The usual time required for churning is about 20 minutes.

Improvements furnish a few comforts and all something to admire.

Rub off the water sprouts between the thumb and finger as soon as they appear.

A hay man should never breed colts, for he must be alert and on the job if he wishes to succeed.

Man imitates nature. By grafting scion by nature, he improves on nature. After that nature imitates man.

An attendant should be on hand at the time of birth for a little timely help has saved many a valuable colt.

Clean water, pure air and sunshine are all free; and they are necessary in the production of pure, wholesome milk.

Pigs, and in fact all hogs, should have ready access at all times to salt and ashes. Charred corn cobs are also excellent.

Fifth and dampness are great hindrances. The first fosters vermin; the second brings most dangerous ailments to fowls.

Some people claim that a hog is a scavenger by nature, but he certainly thrives better on clean feed and decent surroundings.

Watch for cabbage bugs and cabbage worms. These insects usually cause trouble when the weather gets dry and food is scarce.

The dominant secret of successful swine raising is to keep the pigs that come in a given season of the year as uniform in size as possible.

All of the corn ground should be manured or otherwise well fertilized for a large yield, and no farmer should be content with a small yield.

Eternal vigilance is the price of having the best; so one must watch for insect pests and be ready with insecticides and fungicides to destroy them.

Many farmers for the past few years are disking their corn ground before plowing, claiming that it not only benefits the soil, but makes plowing easier.

Soy beans are apt to be low in germination unless the seed is fresh and has been properly stored. It is well to germinate all seed before planting.

A ration of corn, oats and timothy is not satisfactory for producing high-bred horses for market, but may be mutually improved by the addition of oil meal.

The cow's appetite is important, but it should not be abused. As much hay as comes from allowing her to eat too much as comes from not allowing her to eat enough.

It is a good plan to keep all vegetation down around the hives, so that it will not interfere with the flight of the working bees, their hive and the feeding ground.

The best dairymen now practice intensive methods with their cows, making them yield the greatest amount of milk possible by liberal feeding and the best of shelter and other care.

Geese may be picked every six weeks in warm weather, but they must be well fed. When they are picked often they do not lay, as the growth of new feathers weakens and debilitates them.

Few sheep have as good cure as they ought to have. Too many farmers teach them to shift for themselves. They can't do their best that way. Make much of your sheep. They are one of the best kind of property on the farm.

The texture of butter depends partly on the animal, partly on feed, and partly upon the temperature of the cream when churned. Cows that give the richest milk make the most solid butter. In summer the feeding of a small quantity of cotton seed meal will help to make the butter firm.

Bisulphide of carbon on a piece of burlap or oskum, thrown quickly down a pocket gopher's burrow, preferably when the soil is moist. Professor Washburn, Minnesota entomologist, says has killed many pocket gophers in his experiment work. He uses half a pint of bisulphide at a burrow.

All soils with a retentive subsoil should be the drained, and work should be most perfectly planned and executed. Should water stand a few hours on the land a season's crop may be lost. Soil that is well drained will allow the heat and air to penetrate to a greater depth and will withstand drought better than one that is not.

Attractive flower beds add much to the charm of the flower garden. Coleus, salvia and phlox are well adapted for bedding purposes. Plants may be bedded now if they are watered occasionally during summer.

The day of feeding stock of any kind, and especially sheep, on the ground has gone by. It was a most wasteful way. Sheep will drag more hay out on the ground and spoil it for their own eating or that of any other animal than any other farm animal. Racks are cheaper than hay.

Sheep gain in clover.

Plant young, medium-size trees.

Every farmer should improve his land.

The strawberry will thrive in a great variety of soils.

A ration rich in protein is the only ration fit for the brood sow.

A wheel hoe is a very good paying investment for any one who has a garden.

Unleached wood ashes sown broadcast in the orchard will prove beneficial.

Start the milk with the thumb and finger if the colt is not very strong, or if the udder is at all hard.

Dust the climbing roses with sulphur early in the morning while the dew is on, to prevent mildew.

A cool, well ventilated pen is ideal, but it must be free from drafts or you will surely have trouble.

The ground is a bank in which the farmer invests manure, seed, tilling, time and thought. All are important.

There is no better or cheaper place to develop a young horse and put him in proper shape for market than on the farm.

Sweet corn may be canned and kept through the winter, but it requires considerable time and patience to cook it properly.

Red top and alsike are as much a standard mixture for wet meadows as timothy and red clover for the better and drier uplands.

Two drones cost as much to raise as three workers, and after they are raised they keep on eating, while the workers labor for you.

The chief value of the Runner ducks and the point which has made them the most talked of in duck history is their great laying habits.

Good roads contribute much toward rural development. The money spent upon building and maintaining roads returns in splendid dividends.

The farmer who grows a liberal supply of roots for his hogs seldom has much trouble with the ordinary diseases to which swine are subject.

Difference in individuals to produce maximum flow of milk should prompt every dairymen to weed out his inferior animals as early as possible.

When the ewe has lambed, if the lamb, after becoming dry is not able to obtain the ewe's milk of its own accord, it should be assisted in doing so.

To obtain the earliest and finest vegetables the soil should be kept fine and loose throughout the growing season by frequent hoeings or cultivations.

A good bee smoker rightly used is necessary to handle bees, as by its use one can subdue them so that they may be handled with few if any stings.

The amateur must learn to thin ruthlessly. Plants that grow too close together never do well. Pinch off all the suckers from fruit and ornamental trees.

Unless the owner is a thorough fancier and has time and facilities for keeping them unincised the keeping of more than one variety is exasperating and seldom profitable.

Make bird-houses and thus secure the presence and esteem of these active insect-destroyers. Also protect every toad and try to keep a few about the home place.

When a hen is through setting burn all the old nest material, disinfect the nest box and give it a coat of liquor. Use kerosene to make a good job of it, and then put in fresh material.

After the hay has been in the mow a few weeks the leaves become tender, and when the hay is handled for feeding purposes break off and go to waste. This waste is far greater than generally realized by most farmers.

Keep some kind of a crop growing in the garden the entire season. If nothing else is done sow wheat or rye on the vacant places to keep weeds from springing up and maturing seed. Weeds ripen in a very short time, if they are allowed to grow.

The greatest profit in raising bees is secured by a well-directed method of dividing the colonies when in a proper condition to do so, and restraining their instincts as far as may be to swarms when the surrounding circumstances are unfavorable for an increase of colonies.

The cows which produce best are usually those which were well prepared for their milking period. Breed and strain or family are important factors, but important and necessary as they both are, neither, in itself, is a guarantee of production. Feed is equally, and possibly more important.

If the busy woman on the farm finds it takes too much time to make her butter into pound, pats, which are some trouble to make and still more difficult to keep without ice, she can purchase small jars of crocks which hold a pound each, and which cost but a few cents, the customers to return them when the butter is used.

Don't wait until the clover heads have all turned brown before you begin to cut it for hay. If you do you will lose just about one-half of the feeding value of the crop. Cut red clover as nearly in full bloom as possible. Start the mowing when the field looks red, when about two-thirds of the clover is in full bloom. Before you get the crop secured it will be pretty ripe for good hay.

Cottonseed meal at \$1.50 per hundredweight is better and cheaper to feed with corn to dairy cows than oil meal at the same price or than bran at even as low as \$1 per hundredweight.

Soil is composed of minute particles of disintegrated rock. These rock particles contain chemical substances. These substances must be in solution. Hence the first great office of cultivation is to conserve heated moisture in the soil and in making soluble mineral plant food.

Dress Up-to-Date.

A GIRL'S WARDROBE

ALWAYS NEEDS SOME ADDITIONS IN MIDSUMMER.

Dame Fashion Deceives That the Children Shall Not Be Too Elaborately Dressed in Hot Weather—White Frocks.

A growing girl's wardrobe always needs some additions in midsummer time, for the hot weather, if nothing else, demands a change of style and material. The mammae have to look up seasonable effects for these supplementary dresses, which fast-

would be suitable, on a smaller scale, for dolls. The bebe or poupee-doll and baby—styles now distinguish all the best garments in every department, worn by well-dressed little girls.

In baby wash materials and summer frocks there are now fabulous bargains to be found in the shops, some of these in the very newest textures, whether shown in remnants or in the piece. French percales in a soft, fine weave have dropped to the low price of 15 cents a yard; silk-warp dotted chiffons, likewise, cotton material frocks are now 25 cents; Swiss non-closette—which is an English fabric much used for the little imported frocks—also sells for 25 cents. This is 45 inches wide, so a very small quantity would be needed for the simple little frock.

Folked handkerchief muslin—sometimes with delicate flower sprays over the collar—is a delightful fully cool fabric, is 18 cents a yard, and there are silk and cotton crapes of French manufacture—which may be made most attractive with ribbon trimmings, priced 28 cents the yard. These are in every color of the rainbow, and they may be trimmed with white lace or have the ribbon gariture match.

Indeed there is no excuse for mislay not having a fine little hot weather frock if her mother can sew, for all the models are simple to an astonishing degree, and with a little taste a very small expenditure will turn out the right thing.

The dress shown in the illustration, which has a Gibson bodice with Dutch neck and a skirt in box plaits, is here made of a blue and white percale, with a little white linen treated to simple hand embroidery on the bodice. All-over Hamburg embroidery, however, could very well be used here, or the waist trimming could be made in a plain color.

For a girl of ten 6 1/2 yards, 27 inches wide would be required, and since very fine little percales may be had for 12 1/2 cents, and really beautiful for 15, it can be seen how cheap the dress would be.

A heavy linen or silk with some body would likewise respond to this treatment, lace or a contrasting silk trimming the latter texture and Hamburg embroidery the former.

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UNIQUE THATCHED WINDMILL

Old World Form of Supplying Water for Household Convenience Still Seen in Pennsylvania.

Arlington, Pa.—"Something unique" is more to be desired than anything that represents mere cost or formality, in the decoration of the grounds of large estates, judging from the un-

usual types represented in many forms of garden utility. In suburban Philadelphia this thought is frequently made distinctive in the building of garden retreats, terraces, pergolas and various sorts of garden architecture. But there seems to be a special fad at present for displaying unique features in the construction of windmills.

The old world form of supplying water for household convenience still forms a picturesque feature in many suburban sections. But it was only recently that the thatched windmills were introduced, one of the finest types having been constructed on the Herling estate in Abington. Other millinery country estates of this section and also those of Jonkintown and Wyncote, have of late shown some rather startling and decidedly pleasing ideas in windmill construction; but it has remained for the Herling country seat to set forth the unique in picturesque windmill construction.

Not only is the roof of the famous Herling windmill thatched in regulation type, but, fashioned after the most quaint of old world types, the entire mill, which is divided into several spacious rooms in its three-story structure, is neatly and compactly thatched on all sides.

When Walter Herling conceived the idea of introducing this unusual type of windmill on his beautiful Abington estate he little thought of the difficulties to his way. It is not surprising that it stands alone in its picturesque beauty, for few would have the patience to oversee its tedious construction. Finally, at great expense, after other plans had failed, a genuine old Scotchman was imported especially for this work. The expense of getting him to the Abington country seat, and of boarding him, and humoring him throughout all the tedious process of the work, is now amply repaid in the possession of the only, particularly beautiful thatching of this type to be found in this country.

Landlady—I cannot accommodate you. I take in only single men.

Widow—What makes you think I'm a twin?

RAW ECZEMA ON HANDS

"I had eczema on my hands for ten years. I had three good doctors but none of them did any good. I then used one box of Cuticura Ointment and three bottles of Cuticura Resolvent and was completely cured. My hands were raw all over, inside and out, and the eczema was spreading all over my body and limbs. Before I had used one bottle, together with the Cuticura Ointment, my sores were nearly healed over, and by the time I had used the third bottle, I was entirely well. To any one who has any skin or blood disease I would honestly advise them to fool with nothing else, but get Cuticura and get well. My hands have never given me the least bit of trouble up to now."

"My daughter's hands this summer became perfectly raw with eczema. She could get nothing that would do them any good until she tried Cuticura. She used Cuticura Resolvent and Cuticura Ointment and in two weeks they were entirely cured. I have used Cuticura for other members of my family and it always proved successful. Mrs. M. E. Fallin, Speers Ferry, Va., Oct. 19, 1903."

The Wrong Sort.
An old Irish peasant was one Sunday sitting in front of his cottage puffing away furiously at his pipe.

Match after match he lighted, pulling hard at the pipe the while, until at last the ground all round his feet was strewn with struck matches.

Grand Rapids Tribune

BY DRUM & SUTOR.

Grand Rapids, Wis., Aug. 17, 1910

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Advertising Rates.—For display matter a flat rate of 10 cents an inch in length, and 10 cents an inch in width. Tribune is 24 inches long, making a one column advertisement cost \$2.40 for one insertion. All local notices, cards of thanks, resolutions of respect, and all notices of entertainments where an admission fee is charged will be published at 5 cents per line.

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One Year.....\$1.50
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NAMES WILL ROTATE ON PRIMARY BALLOT

The ballots in the coming primary election will be known as rotation ballots, the result of a new feature in the arrangement of the candidates' names in the caucus where there are more than one running for the same office. This feature had its origin in a new law. Hereafter the names were placed according to alphabetical order and the one on top was generally regarded as having an advantage over the others. The new law provides a remedy for that, which gives each candidate an equal chance. It requires that the names be in rotation, for instance: There being two candidates the name of the first one will be on top in the first precinct, the other in the second precinct, in the next precinct, the positions will be exchanged, and in the third precinct they will be back in their original positions, in the fourth the positions will be exchanged again, and so on up to the last precinct.

In the cities the order of the election precincts will be according to the number of wards, in the towns and villages according to the alphabetical listing of the names of the towns and villages, for state officers, senatorial and congressional districts it will be according to the population of the various districts.

The sections of the law covering the county part of the ticket is as follows:

"For the purpose of determining the order in which the names of candidates for each office for whom nomination papers have been filed in the office of the county clerk shall prepare a list of the election precincts of the county. Such list shall be prepared by arranging the various towns, cities and villages of the county in alphabetical order, and the wards or precincts of each city, village or town. The precincts of each assembly district within the county shall be arranged in the same manner.

"The county clerk shall arrange the names of all candidates for each office for whom nomination papers have been filed in his office alphabetically for the first precinct in the list, thereafter for each succeeding precinct, the name appearing first for each office in the list preceding precinct shall be placed last."

Democrats of Wisconsin.

The platform adopted by the Democrats of Wisconsin in their convention and the ticket which will go before the September primaries, are sufficient arguments to call for staunch support of every Democrat in this broad state. Every true Democrat can support the ticket and can argue well for the platform. It was the kind of a platform that will appeal to those who are Democrats because it is profitable to be Democrats, but it is the kind of a platform that will appeal to the great masses that comprise the Democracy in this state. Those who believe in special privileges for the few at the expense of the many, will not be found advocating Democratic success this fall. The party will be successful with men of this ilk standing on the side lines or casting their lot with the party that can best serve them—the opposition.

The men who are largely in control of the convention, those who at the finish stood up and fought for the masses, are progressives and they may well be proud of their achievement and can invite the voters of Wisconsin to join with them, and do it with a firm conviction that such a step is in the interests of the people of the whole state.

Every Democratic editor in Wisconsin can take up his pen and feel that he is doing his duty in supporting the ticket, in preaching true Democracy as it is given in the platform of 1910.—Sheboygan Daily Press.

New Motor Boat Law.

Launch owners will do well to take note of the new motor boat law which recently went into effect. Under it every boat no matter what size must carry a fire extinguisher. They must also carry one life preserver or other device approved by the proper government official for every passenger carried. Craft over twenty-five feet in length must in addition be equipped with a fog horn. All sizes of launches must carry a rear white light, so that a light on a boat is made visible at night from every direction.

These rules apply to launches whether engaged in passenger traffic, private launches, freight carrying or any other business. These are the safety features of the new law. There are numerous others with which launch owners should speedily acquaint themselves.

No specific means of promptly extinguishing burning gasoline are prescribed by the law. Besides the usual fire-extinguishers, suitable chemicals or bags of coarse flour or sand will serve the purpose.

Proposed County Option Law.

The proposed County Option Law, says an exchange given to each county in the state of Wisconsin, the power to submit to its citizens (when 20 per cent or more of the voters at the last preceding election for governor so petition) the question of whether the county shall or shall not permit the licensing of retail dealers in alcoholic drinks as beverages (saloons) within the county. After the law becomes effective, the law gives the voters of the county decide that licensing of saloons is desirable, no change from the present situation results. In case the vote is against licensing the saloons, no license may be issued for a period of two years, within the county so deciding.

They Have a Definite Purpose

Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief in cases of kidney and bladder ailments. Mrs. Rose Glaser, Terre Haute Ind., tells the result in her own case. After suffering for many years from a serious case of kidney trouble and spending much money for so called cures, I found Foley Kidney Pills the only medicine that gave me a permanent cure. I am again able to live and attend to my work. I shall never hesitate to recommend them." Johnson & Hill Co. and J. E. Daly.

Uncle Ezra Says:

"The bald-headed man has this satisfaction: His friends don't remind him of it every time he's had a hair cut."

"Lest We Forget."

In order that the democrats of Wood County may not forget what will be demanded of them at the September primary as a result of the twenty per cent feature of the primary election law, the following figures furnished by Chairman Davies, of the State Central Committee are again printed as a reminder:

| | Dem. | 20 per cent. |
|--------------------------|------|--------------|
| Vote '08 necessary | | |
| Arpin..... | 63 | 11 |
| Auburnville..... | 81 | 17 |
| Auburnville, Vill..... | 17 | 4 |
| Clary..... | 3 | 1 |
| Chancellor..... | 23 | 5 |
| Granmoor..... | 20 | 4 |
| Dexter..... | 21 | 5 |
| Grand Rapids..... | 91 | 18 |
| Grand Rapids City..... | 435 | 87 |
| Ward 1..... | 59 | |
| Ward 2..... | 85 | |
| Ward 3..... | 52 | |
| Ward 4..... | 51 | |
| Ward 5..... | 56 | |
| Ward 6..... | 63 | |
| Ward 7..... | 59 | |
| Ward 8..... | 36 | |
| Hanson..... | 51 | 11 |
| Hill..... | 9 | 2 |
| Jalisco..... | 121 | 25 |
| Marshallfield..... | 99 | 20 |
| Marshallfield, City..... | 614 | 129 |
| Ward 1..... | 161 | |
| Ward 2..... | 102 | |
| Ward 3..... | 130 | |
| Ward 4..... | 98 | |
| Ward 5..... | 72 | |
| Milladore, Vill..... | 103 | 21 |
| Nekoosa, Vill..... | 169 | 31 |
| Port Edwards..... | 11 | 2 |
| Port Edwards, Vill..... | 36 | 8 |
| Pittsville, City..... | 26 | 6 |
| Ward 1..... | 9 | |
| Ward 2..... | 7 | |
| Ward 3..... | 10 | |
| Reamston..... | 48 | 10 |
| Ridgely..... | 38 | 8 |
| Rock..... | 26 | 6 |
| Rudolph..... | 93 | 19 |
| Saratoga..... | 33 | 7 |
| Shore..... | 31 | 7 |
| Shorey..... | 40 | 8 |
| Sigel..... | 131 | 27 |
| Wood..... | 41 | 9 |

SIGEL

Quite a number of the boys around here attended the ball game at Jorgensen's Sunday afternoon.

Misses Martha Kundo and Ida Kronholm were guests of Clara Matthes Sunday afternoon.

Miss Anna Jannberg expects to leave for Seattle, Wash., in a few days.

Olaf Johnson is in the hospital at Chicago where he expects to undergo an operation for stomach trouble.

John Grainger has been busy fighting fire on his hay marsh.

Olaf, Rieks entertained his cousin from Milwaukee this week.

Quite a number of the young people from this neighborhood attended the dance at the pavilion Friday evening. Everyone reports a good time.

A large number of young people spent Sunday evening at Carl Kronholm's. The evening was spent in playing games and everyone enjoyed the evening.

Secure and take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy with you when starting on your trip this summer. It cannot be obtained on board the trains or steamers. Changes of water and climate often cause sudden attacks of diarrhoea, and it is best to be prepared. Sold by all druggists.

FOURTEEN MILE CREEK

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Misses Hazel and Avril Joro of New London are here visiting with their uncle, Israel Joro and family. Charles and Clyde Wingarden of Almond visited their parents over Sunday.

Israel Joro was a Grand Rapids shopper Monday.

Mrs. Gertrude Brown and daughter Bernice of Grand Rapids are visiting friends and relatives here.

The party at M. S. Wingarden's was well attended and everyone reports a good time.

Mrs. Louisa Huffman of Wild Rose is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Hattie Jowell.

To keep your health sound, to avoid the ills of advancing years, to conserve your physical forces for a ripe and healthful old age, guard your kidneys by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. Johnson & Hill Co. and J. E. Daly.

RUDOLPH

Seth Whitman is driving town for Mrs. F. P. Daly.

Mrs. James Hunter and niece, Etha Hunter, departed on Friday for Northfield, Minn., after a week's visit at the Ed. Warner home.

Mrs. John Bankonah and daughter were shopping in your city Friday.

This section was visited by a nice rain Monday evening which cheered the hearts of the farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lemay have gone to housekeeping in the rooms over the saloon building in Grand Rapids.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Announcement of J. W. Cochran
To the Voters of Wood County:—I am a candidate for the office of district attorney of Wood County, and respectfully request your favorable consideration for nomination on the republican ticket, at the September primary, for such office.

If elected, I will look after the duties of the office carefully, diligently and faithfully. I do not intend to use money, hire help or incur any unnecessary expense.

Trusting that the reader will kindly consider this card as a personal visit. I am very respectfully yours,
J. Wilber Cochran.—tf.

Of Course.

"Don't you like that quotation from Shakespeare. 'The friends thou hast, and their adoption tried, grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel?'" he asked, smilingly. "I think hoops of gold would be better," said the girl shyly.

Electricity at White House. Electricity is the only illuminant used at the White House, and in many respects the electrical installation is the most elaborate and complete in any residence in the country.

MEEHAN

(Too Late for Last Week.)

The Meehan base ball team went to Kellner Sunday, Aug. 15th to play for championship of the two teams. Kellner stand ready to give Meehan a shut out in return for the one they received on the Meehan grounds July 21st when the score stood 7 to 0 in favor of Meehan. The boys of both teams worked hard but the game ended in the ninth inning when the score stood 12 to 1 in favor of the Meehan locals. Kellner felt like the south when they gave up the fight on their own grounds, when the Meehan team showed them how to do the stunt, although the Kellner team was composed of Kellner, Bascroft and Grand Rapids players.

Kellner boy hit hard and made a home run for which he received honors, but their wild pointers were also present and did much at their profession and when a score was made by them the cackling and crowing made by their local home and roosters could not be disconcerted by any of our Wisconsin poultry farms.

Another net in the game was that Kellner's local pitcher had his finger hurt so he was allowed to umpire the game. So it is safe to say that Meehan made all they got.

The Kellner team thinks now of laying off and practicing up for next summer's games.

Lon Pike came up here from Adams County and spent Sunday with his son, Orrin.

Miss Adella Parks began another eight months term of school in the Morrill district on Monday.

Mrs. W. E. Bondle was taken suddenly ill Saturday evening. Dr. Rogers of Stevens Point was called and she soon recovered.

We were very thankful for a little shower of rain which came Monday night. It did but little good as it is still terrible dry and crops are suffering.

The Bondle family departed on Wednesday for Ladysmith where they will make their future home as Mr. Bondle has a good position in a paper mill there.

When the digestion is all right, the action of the bowels regular, there is a natural craving and relief for food. When this is lacking you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They strengthen the digestive organs, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Sold by all druggists.

REMINGTON

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Miss Mauda Hess and her niece, Anna Sanger of Grand Rapids, have gone to Iowa to visit Mrs. Lona Barwick.

Mrs. Elmer Crompton and daughter Myrtle are here visiting with her mother, Mrs. A. Hass.

Mrs. Vina Wales of Grand Rapids was a guest at the home of her son, Edward Wales the fore part of last week.

Mr. Adamushek of Nekoosa was a visitor at the Sanger home on Sunday.

George Caroy of Plainfield visited with his brother, Jesse Caroy one day this week.

Mr. Seabright of Union Center was here last Thursday to visit his son, Louis Seabright of this place.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hass on July 20th.

Misses Martha and Thelma Wisnietz of Chicago are the guests of their sister, Mrs. L. Seabright this week.

Adolph Sanger of Nekoosa spent Sunday with his parents here.

August Rutze spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rutze.

The corn crop around here looks fine so far, providing we do not have early frosts there is hope of a good crop this year.

J. W. Caroy, who has been in the employ of U. S. Lowe, will start for Canada on Tuesday. He will be accompanied by his brother, George Caroy of Plainfield. They intend to take up a homestead and locate there if they like the country.

Mr. Rodio of Nekoosa was a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. Hass on Sunday.

Mr. Rhyhart died last week of dropsy and heart trouble. Mr. Rhyhart had been in poor health for a long time. He came here about four years ago from Illinois and invested in about 800 acres of marsh land where he made great improvements. He is survived by his wife and sixteen year old boy who have the sympathy of this community in their great loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Karbosko of Babcock visited friends here on Sunday.

Miss Vrona Karvosko of this place was married at the Catholic church at Green Bay to a gentleman of that city. Her numerous friends here wish her a long and happy wedded life.

THROW OUT THE LINE.

Give Them Help and Many Grand Rapids People Will Be Happier.

"Throw Out the Life Line"—The kidneys need help.

They're overworked—can't get the poison filtered out of the blood.

They're getting worse every minute.

Will you help them?

Doan's Kidney Pills have brought thousands of kidney sufferers back from the verge of despair.

Will cure any form of kidney trouble.

Mrs. Emma Bates, 340 Eleventh St. N., Grand Rapids, Wis., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have done me a great deal of good. I suffered from backaches and sharp pains across my loins for a long time. My head ached and in the morning I was lame that I could hardly dress myself. I often felt tired and languid and was subject to dizzy spells. Doan's Kidney Pills were finally brought to my attention and I procured a box. I feel better in every way since using them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McLurg Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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KELLNER

(Too Late for Last Week.)

When some of these speedy guests from the city come out in the country with their autos they better keep the rules regarding speed and whistling and not run over anything and everything without giving it ample notice and time to get out of the way. Just the other day a car ran right crossways over a goose and killed it, which made the owner feel quite bad. Hoping that the future will prove better.

G. H. Munroe and John Krasche witnessed the ball game at your city between the Chicago Union Giants and the Grand Rapids team. "Well look at that."

J. R. Klug traded his farm for property in Missouri, John Gage making the trade.

The Meehan ball team played the local team on Sunday. Well they beat by a score of 19 to 1 which proves a "bum" game. The general complaint of the visitors was that better grounds and a self made umpire would improve things considerably.

John Josek had the misfortune of cutting his right hand quite badly while opening a beer bottle.

The Lutheran Aid Society met at the school house on Thursday. They report a very pleasant afternoon.

The motion was made and carried that in addition to the mission festival the ladies will give an ice cream social which will take place August 28th.

Dr. P. X. Ponsaville made a professional call at the W. J. Ramsey home on Saturday. Mrs. Ramsey is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou and Mrs. Gass of Sigel spent Sunday with the August Buss family.

Mrs. Mahunko Sr. is visiting her sister at Anshurst who is sick and while there she will also visit with the Dusel family.

The deal which was made in regard to the blacksmith shop was not closed so now Mr. Winger is again at the old stand. You better call and see him. All work guaranteed.

John G. Timm is painting his house which improves the looks considerably.

To get rid of those awful headaches use the celebrated Dr. Hemenway's headache powder. For further particulars write to Box 77, R. F. D. 7, City.

Mrs. Wm. Witt was on the sick list last week, but is better at this writing. Mrs. A. Schroeder of your city took care of her during her sickness.

If your liver is sluggish and out of tone, and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets tonight before retiring and you will feel all right in the morning. Sold by all dealers.

The Moravian Aid Society met at the W. Ganger home on Wednesday with a fair attendance.

Herman Novak, Mrs. Henry Stokio and Mrs. Ernest Timm attended the funeral of the former's aunt at Sigel last Tuesday.

Joe Wittaker and G. W. Allen of Stevens Point passed thru our burg on Tuesday, posting bills for the Stevens Point Fair which takes place Aug. 23-25. They also visited at the Lutheran parsonage. They made the trip here in Mr. Wittaker's auto.

Mr. Brady, traveling salesman for Wyman Portage, spent Monday afternoon in our burg.

Miss Crystal Munroe visited with Miss Clara Johnson on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Lonnie Turban went to your city on Tuesday where she will visit for some time.

Wm. Granger and family are visiting with relatives in Winona and Minneapolis.

A. Oelschlager is visiting at the Wm. Yetter home.

Mr. Hasevayer of Illinois is visiting his son here this week.

Mr. McGarr departed last week for DeKalb, Ill., where he will visit for some time.

Mrs. Gulliger and Mr. Levenski spent a few hours at the Steve Oichantak home on Monday and Tuesday after which they returned to their homes in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Wm. Knoll has gone to Merrill where she will make her future home.

Fred Henke of your city is spending his weeks vacation with friends and relatives in this burg.

Acute or Chronic—Which?

No matter if your kidney trouble is acute or chronic Foley's Kidney Remedy will reach your case. Mr. Claude Brown, Reynoldsville, Ill., writes us that he suffered many months with kidney complaint which baffled all treatment. At last he tried Foley's and in a few days and a few large bottles effected a complete cure. He says, "It has been of an estimable value to me." Johnson & Hill Co. and J. E. Daly.

Stevens Point Fair.

"The Stevens Point Fair" will be held August 23, 24, 25 and 26th, 1910. All previous efforts have been surpassed. Never before has there been attempted so great an exhibition by the managers. The result is a success beyond the fondest hopes of all concerned. This fair has the opening of the "Central Wisconsin Fair Circuit" comprising the cities of Stevens Point, Merrill, Waunesa, Menominee, Chippewa Falls and Janesville, and one of the largest fields of fast horses ever gathered together in Central Wisconsin, is expected to compete for the liberal purses put up by the Association. Some of the highest priced attractions from this country and Europe have been engaged to give free acts in front of the grand stand each day of the fair. These alone are worth more than the price of admission. The display of fine blooded stock promises to be the largest this side of the State Fair. Come, meet old friends, renew old acquaintances and add many new ones to your list. Remember the dates August 23, 24, 25 and 26th. Write to A. E. Bourn, Secretary, Stevens Point, Wis., for premium list.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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RULES FOR PROTECTION AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS

The Madison Anti-Tuberculosis Association, recently incorporated, which is working in co-operation with the University of Wisconsin extension department, the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Associated Charities of Madison for the prevention and cure of the disease within the city, has recently issued a small folder in which are given rules for protection against the disease, as follows:

Don't Get Tuberculosis Yourself.
"Keep as well as possible, for the healthier your body, the harder for the germs of tuberculosis to grow therein. To keep healthy, observe the following rules:

"Don't live, study or sleep in rooms where there is no fresh air. Fresh air and sunlight kill the tubercle and bacilli and germs causing other diseases. Therefore have as much of both in your room as possible.

"Don't live in dusty air. Keep your rooms clean. Get rid of dust by cleaning with damp cloths and mops.

"Don't sweep with a dry broom.

"Keep at least one window open in your bedroom at night, and air the room two or three times a day.

"Don't eat with soiled hands. Wash them first.

"Don't put your hands, pencils, or any candy or chewing gum other persons have used, in your mouth.

"Don't keep soiled handkerchiefs in your pockets.

"Take a warm bath with soap at least once a week.

"Don't neglect a cold or cough, but go to a doctor or a clinic."

Following these, the card gives simple rules for the treatment of tuberculosis, as below:

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NAMES WILL ROTATE ON PRIMARY BALLOT

The ballots in the coming primary election will be known as rotation ballots, the result of a new feature in the arrangement of the candidates' names in the county where there are more than one running for the same office. This feature had its origin in a new law. Heretofore the names were placed according to alphabetical order and the one on top was generally regarded as having an advantage over the others. The new law provides a remedy for that, which gives each candidate an equal chance. It requires that the names be in rotation, for instance: There being two candidates the name of the first one will be on top of the first precinct, the other in the second precinct, the positions will be exchanged in the third precinct they will be back in their original positions, in the fourth the positions will be exchanged again, and so on up to the last precinct.

In the cities the order of the election precincts will be according to the number of wards, in the towns and villages according to the alphabetical listing of the names of the towns and villages, for state officers, senatorial and congressional districts, it will be according to the population of the various districts.

The sections of the law covering the county part of the ticket are as follows:

"For the purpose of determining the order in which the names of candidates for each office shall appear on the ballot, the county clerk shall prepare a list of the election precincts of the county. Such list shall be prepared by arranging the various towns, cities and villages of the county in alphabetical order, and the wards or precincts of each city, village or town. The precincts of each assembly district within the county shall be arranged in the same manner."

"The county clerk shall arrange the names of all candidates for each office for whom nomination papers have been filed in his office alphabetically for the first precinct in the list, thereafter for each succeeding precinct in the order in which the names of each office in the last preceding precinct shall be placed last."

Democrats of Wisconsin.

The platform adopted by the Democrats of Wisconsin in the county and the ticket which will go before the September primaries, are sufficient arguments to call for staunch support of every Democrat in this broad state. Every true Democrat can support the ticket and can argue well for the platform. It was not the kind of a platform that will appeal to those who are Democrats because it is profitable to Democrats, but it is the kind of a platform that will appeal to the great masses that comprise the Democracy in this state. Those who believe in special privileges for the few at the expense of the many, will not be found advocating Democratic success this fall. The party will be the stronger with men of this ilk standing on the side lines or casting their lot with the party that can best serve them—the opposition.

The men who are largely in control of the convention, those who at the finish stood up and fought for the masses, are progressives and they may well be proud of their achievement and can invite the voters of Wisconsin to join with them, and do it with a firm conviction that such a step is in the interests of the people of the whole state.

Every Democratic editor in Wisconsin can take up his pen and feel that he is doing his duty in supporting the ticket in practically every Democracy as it is given in the platform of 1910.—Sheboygan Daily Press.

New Motor Boat Law.

Launch owners will do well to take note of the new motor boat law which recently went into effect. Under this every boat no matter what size must carry a fire extinguisher. They must also carry one life preserver or other device approved by the proper government official for every passenger carried. Craft over twenty-six feet in length must in addition to the regular life preservers be provided with a fog horn. All sizes of launches must carry a rear white light, so that a light on a boat is made visible at night from every direction.

These rules apply to launches whether engaged in passenger traffic, private launches, freight carrying or otherwise. The law is a good one and can invite the voters of Wisconsin to join with them, and do it with a firm conviction that such a step is in the interests of the people of the whole state.

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Proposed County Option Law.

The proposed County Option law, says an exchange, gives to each county in the state of Wisconsin, the power to submit to its citizens (whether ten percent or more of the voters at the last preceding election for governor so petition) the question of whether or not the county shall or shall not permit the licensing of retail dealers in alcoholic drinks as beverages (saloons) within the county. After the law becomes effective, then, in case the voters of the county decide that licensing of saloons is desirable, no change from the present situation results. In case the vote is against licensing the saloons, no license may be issued for a period of two years, within the county so deciding.

They Have a Definite Purpose

Foley Kidney Pills give quick relief in cases of kidney and bladder ailments. Mrs. Rosa Glaser, of Haute Ind., tells the result in her case. "After suffering for many years from a serious case of kidney trouble and spending much money for so-called cures, I found Foley Kidney Pills the only medicine that gave me a permanent cure. I am again able to be up and about to my work. I shall never hesitate to recommend them." Johnson & Hill Co., and J. E. Daly.

Uncle Ezra Says:

"The bald-headed man has this satisfaction. His friends don't remind him of every time he's had a hair cut."

"Let Us Forget."

In order that the democrats of Wood county may not forget what will be demanded of them at the September primary as a result of the twenty per cent feature of the primary election law, the following figures furnished by Chairman Davies, of the State Central Committee are again printed as a reminder:

| | Dem. | 20 per cent. |
|--------------------------|------|--------------|
| Arpin..... | 53 | 11 |
| Auburndale..... | 51 | 17 |
| Auburndale, Vill..... | 17 | 4 |
| Cary..... | 17 | 4 |
| Cameron..... | 23 | 5 |
| Crummoo..... | 20 | 4 |
| Dexter..... | 24 | 5 |
| Grand Rapids..... | 86 | 18 |
| Grand Rapids City..... | 435 | 87 |
| Ward 1..... | 51 | 11 |
| Ward 2..... | 55 | 12 |
| Ward 3..... | 54 | 11 |
| Ward 4..... | 54 | 11 |
| Ward 5..... | 55 | 12 |
| Ward 6..... | 56 | 12 |
| Ward 7..... | 56 | 12 |
| Ward 8..... | 56 | 12 |
| Hanson..... | 51 | 11 |
| Hills..... | 51 | 11 |
| Lincoln..... | 121 | 25 |
| Marshallfield..... | 99 | 20 |
| Marshallfield, City..... | 142 | 29 |
| Ward 1..... | 154 | 31 |
| Ward 2..... | 86 | 18 |
| Ward 3..... | 102 | 21 |
| Ward 4..... | 100 | 21 |
| Ward 5..... | 98 | 20 |
| Ward 6..... | 72 | 15 |
| Milladore, Vill..... | 103 | 22 |
| Nekoosa, Vill..... | 109 | 23 |
| Port Edwards..... | 54 | 11 |
| Port Edwards, Vill..... | 36 | 7 |
| Pittsville, City..... | 26 | 5 |
| Ward 1..... | 9 | 2 |
| Ward 2..... | 7 | 1 |
| Ward 3..... | 10 | 2 |
| Romulston..... | 48 | 10 |
| Richfield..... | 38 | 8 |
| Rock..... | 26 | 5 |
| Redford..... | 93 | 19 |
| Saratoga..... | 31 | 7 |
| Soneca..... | 31 | 7 |
| Sherry..... | 40 | 8 |
| Wood..... | 131 | 27 |
| Sigol..... | 41 | 9 |

SIGEL

Quite a number of the boys around here attended the ball game at Jorgensen's Sunday afternoon. Misses Martha Kamle and Ida Kronholm were guests of Clara Mattheus Sunday afternoon. Miss Anna Lundberg expects to leave for Seattle, Wash., in a few days.

Claus Johnson is in the hospital at Chicago where he expects to undergo an operation for stomach trouble.

John Granger has been busy fighting fire on his hay marsh.

Chas. Ricks accompanied his cousin from Milwaukee this week.

Quite a number of the young people from this neighborhood attended the dance at the pavilion Friday evening. Everyone reports a good time.

A large number of young people spent Sunday evening at Carl Kronholm's. The evening was spent in playing games and everyone enjoyed the evening.

Be sure and take a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy when you start on your trip this summer. It cannot be overpraised for its value in all cases. Changes of water and climate often cause sudden attacks of diarrhoea, and it is best to be prepared. Sold by all dealers.

FOURTEEN MILE CREEK

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Misses Hazel and Avril Joro of New London are here visiting with their uncle, Israel Joro and family.

Charles and Clyde Wingarden of Almond visited their parents over Sunday.

Israel Joro was a Grand Rapids shopper Monday.

Mrs. Gertrude Brown and daughter, Bernice of Grand Rapids are visiting friends and relatives here.

The party at M. S. Winegarden's was well attended and everyone reports a good time.

Mrs. Louisa Huffman of Wild Rose is visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Mattie Jewell.

To keep your health sound; to avoid the ills of advancing years; to conserve your physical forces for a ripe and healthful old age, guard your kidneys by taking Foley's Kidney Remedy. Johnson & Hill Co. and J. E. Daly.

RUDOLPH

Seth Whitman is driving team for Mrs. F. P. Daly.

Mrs. James Hunter and niece, Etta Hunter, departed on Friday for Northfield, Minn., after a week's visit at the Ed. Warner home.

Mrs. John Bankenbush and daughter were shopping in your city Friday.

This section was visited by a nice rain Monday evening which cheered the hearts of the farmers.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Lomay have gone to housekeeping in the rooms over the saloon building in Grand Rapids.

DISTRICT ATTORNEY.

Announcement of J. W. Cochran

To the Voters of Wood County:—Gentlemen:—I am a candidate for the office of district attorney of Wood County, and respectfully request your favorable consideration for nomination on the republican ticket, at the September primary, for such office.

If elected, I will look after the duties of the office carefully, diligently and faithfully. I do not intend to use money, hire help or incur any unnecessary expense.

Trusting that the reader will kindly consider this card as a personal visit, I am very respectfully yours,

J. Wilber Cochran.—tf.

Of Course.

"Don't you like that quotation from Shakespeare. The friends thou hast, and their adoption tried, grapple them to thy soul with hoops of steel?" he asked, softly. "I think hoops of gold would be better," said the girl shyly.

Electricity at White House.

Electricity at the only illuminated used at the White House and in many respects the electrical installation is the most elaborate and complete in any residence in the country.

MEEHAN

(Too Late for Last Week.)

The Meehan bus ball team went to Kellner Sunday, Aug. 16, to play for championship of the two teams. Kellner stood ready to give Meehan a shut out in return for the one they received on the Meehan grounds July 31st when the score stood 7 to 0 in favor of Meehan. The boys of both teams worked hard but the same result was reached when the score stood 12 to 17 in favor of the Meehan locals. Kellner felt like the youth when they gave up the fight on their own grounds, when the Meehan team showed them how to do the stunt, although the Kellner team was composed of Kellner, Bancroft and Grand Rapids players. One Kellner boy hit hard and made a home run for which he received honors, but their wind pounders were also present and did much at their profession and when a score was made by them the cackling and crowing made by their local hens and roosters could not be discounted by any of our Wisconsin poultry farms.

Another act in the game was that Kellner's local pitcher had his finger hurt so he was allowed to umpire the game. So it is safe to say that Meehan made all they got. The Kellner team thinks now of laying off and practicing up for next summer's games.

Lon Pike came up here from Adams County and spent Sunday with his son, Orrin.

Miss Addie Parks began another eight months term of school in the Morrill district on Monday.

Mrs. W. E. Beadle was taken suddenly ill Saturday evening. Dr. Rogers of Stevens Point was called and she soon recovered.

We were very thankful for a little shower of rain which came Monday night. It did but little good as it is still terrible dry and crops are suffering.

The Beadle family departed on Wednesday for Ladysmith where they will make their future home as Mr. Beadle has a good position in a paper mill there.

When the digestion is all right, the action of the bowels regular, there is a natural craving and relish for food. When this is lacking you may know that you need a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They stimulate the digestive organs, improve the appetite and regulate the bowels. Sold by all dealers.

REMINGTON

(Too Late for Last Week.)

Miss Maude Hass and her niece, Alma Sanger of Grand Rapids, have gone to Iowa to visit Mrs. Lena Barwoskie.

Mrs. Elmer Compton and daughter Myrtle are here visiting with her mother, Mrs. A. Hass.

Mrs. Vina Walos of Grand Rapids was a guest at the home of her son, Edward Walos the fore part of last week.

Mr. Adamshack of Nekoosa was a visitor at the Sanger home on Sunday.

George Carey of Plainfield visited with his brother, Jess Carey one day this week.

Mr. Seebright of Union Center was here last Thursday to visit his son, Louis Seebright of this place.

A baby girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Hand on July 29th.

Misses Martha and Treasie Wisemeth of Chicago are the guests of their sister, Mrs. L. Seebright this week.

Adolph Sanger of Nekoosa spent Sunday with his parents here.

August Rutze spent Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Rutze.

The corn crop around here looks fine so far, providing we do not have early frosts there is hope of a good crop this year.

J. W. Carey, who has been in the employ of O. S. Lowe, will start for Canada on Tuesday. He will be accompanied by his brother, George Carey of Plainfield. They intend to take up a homestead and locate there if they like the country.

Mr. Rodie of Nekoosa was a guest at the home of his daughter, Mrs. R. Hass on Sunday.

Mr. Rhyndall died last week of dropsy and heart trouble. Mr. Rhyndall had been in poor health for a long time. He came here about four years ago from Illinois and invested in about 300 acres of marsh land where he made great improvements. He is survived by his wife and sixteen year old boy who have the sympathy of this community in their great loss.

Mr. and Mrs. Victor Karboskie of Babcock visited friends here on Sunday.

Miss Virona Karwoskie of this place was married at the Catholic church at Green Bay to a gentleman of that city. Her numerous friends here wish her a long and happy wedded life.

THROW OUT THE LINE

Give Them Help and Many Grand Rapids People Will Be Happier.

"Throw Out the Life Line"—The kidneys need help.

They're overworked—can't get the poison filtered out of the blood.

They're getting worse every minute.

Will you help them?

Doan's Kidney Pills have brought thousands of kidney sufferers back from the verge of despair.

Will cure any form of kidney trouble.

Mrs. Emma Eaton, 340 Eleventh St. N., Grand Rapids, Wis., says: "Doan's Kidney Pills have done me a great deal of good. I suffered from backache and sharp pains across my loins for a long time. My head ached and in the morning I was so lame that I could hardly dress myself. I often felt tired and nervous and was subject to dizzy spells. Doan's Kidney Pills were finally brought to my attention and I procured a box. I feel better in every way since using them."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-McLurg Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agent for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

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Tonic in quality and action, quick in results. For backache, headache, dizziness, nervousness, urinary irregularities and rheumatism. Johnson & Hill Co. and J. E. Daly.

KELLNER

(Too Late for Last Week.)

When some of those speedy gentles from the city come out in the country with their autos they better keep the rules regarding speed and whistling and not run over anything and everything without giving it ample notice and time to get out of the way. Just the other day a car ran right crossways over a goose and killed it which made the owner feel quite bad. Hoping that the future will prove better.

G. H. Monroe and John Krusche witnessed the ball game at your city between the Chicago Union Giants and the Grand Rapids team. "Well look et dat."

J. R. King traded his farm for property in Missouri. John Gage making the trade.

The Meehan ball team played the local team on Sunday. Well they beat by a score of 18 to 17 which proves a "bum" game. The general complaint of the visitors was that better grounds and a self made mapple would improve things considerably.

John Joeck had the misfortune of cutting his right hand quite badly while opening a beer bottle.

The Lutheran Aid Society met at the school house on Thursday. They report a very pleasant afternoon. The motion was made and carried that in addition to the mission festival the ladies will give an ice cream social which will take place August 20th.

Dr. F. K. Pomainville made a professional call at the W. J. Ramsey home on Saturday. Mrs. Ramsey is quite ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Lou and Mrs. Gaeah of Sigel spent Sunday with the August Buss family.

Mrs. Mahke Sr. is visiting her sister at Amherst who is sick and while there she will also visit with the Duesel family.

The deal which was made in regard to the blacksmith shop was not closed so now Mr. Winger is again at the old stand. You better call and see him. All work guaranteed.

John G. Timm is painting his house which improves the looks considerably.

To get rid of those awful headaches use the celebrated Dr. Biemann's headache powder. For further particulars write to Box 77, R. F. D. 7 City.

Mrs. Wm. Witt was on the sick list last week, but is better at this writing. Mrs. A. Schroeder of your city took care of her during her sickness.

If your liver is sluggish and out of tone, and you feel dull, bilious, constipated, take a dose of Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets tonight before retiring and you will feel all right in the morning. Sold by all dealers.

The Moravian Aid Society met at the W. Granger home on Wednesday with a fair attendance.

Herman Novak, Mrs. Henry Steinke and Mrs. Ernest Timm attended the funeral of the former's aunt at Sigel last Tuesday.

Joe Wittaker and G. W. Allen of Stevens Point passed thru our burr on Tuesday, posting bills for the Stevens Point Fair which takes place Aug. 23-26. They also visited at the Lutheran parsonage. They made the trip here in Mr. Wittaker's auto.

Mr. Brody, traveling salesman for Wyman Portage, spent Monday afternoon in our burr.

Miss Crystal Monroe visited with Miss Cora Johnson on Tuesday and Wednesday.

Louise Turban went to your city on Tuesday where she will visit for some time.

Wm. Granger and family are visiting with relatives in Winona and Minneapolis.

A. Oelschlager is visiting at the Wm. Yetter home.

Mr. Hasemeyer of Illinois is visiting his son here this week.

Mr. McGarr departed last week for DeKalb, Ill., where he will visit for some time.

Mrs. Galliger and Mr. Lovenaki spent a few hours at the Steve Gichantak home on Monday and Tuesday after which they returned to their homes in Milwaukee.

Mrs. Wm. Knoll has gone to Merrill where she will make her future home.

Fred Henke of your city is spending his weeks vacation with friends and relatives in this burr.

Acute or Chronic—Which?

No matter if your kidney trouble is acute or chronic Foley's Kidney Remedy will reach your case. Mr. Claude Brown, Reynoldsville, Ill., writes that he suffered many months with kidney complaint which baffled all treatment. At last he tried Foley's Kidney Remedy and a few large bottles effected a complete cure. He says, "It has been of an estimable value to me." Johnson & Hill Co. and J. E. Daly.

Stevens Point Fair.

"The Stevens Point Fair" will be held August 23, 24, 25 and 26th, 1910. All previous efforts have been surpassed. Never before has there been attempted so great an exhibition by the managers. The result is a success beyond the fondest hopes of all concerned. This Fair has the opening of the "Central Wisconsin Fair Circuit," comprising the cities of Stevens Point, Merrill, Wausau, Menominee, Chippewa Falls and La Crosse, and one of the largest fields of fast horses ever gathered together in Central Wisconsin. It is expected to compete for the liberal prizes put up by the Association. Some of the highest priced attractions from this country and Europe have been engaged to give free acts in front of the grand stand each day of the Fair. These alone are worth more than the price of admission. The display of the blooded stock promises to be the largest this side of the State Fair. Come meet all the best bred, true old acquaintances and add many new ones to your list. Remember the dates August 23, 24, 25 and 26th. Write to: A. E. Bonn, Secretary, Stevens Point, Wis., for program list.

GEO. L. & G. H. WILLIAMS

Attorneys at Law

Office in Wood Block, over Post Office. Telephone No. 91. Grand Rapids, Wisconsin.

RULES FOR PROTECTION AGAINST TUBERCULOSIS

The Madison Anti-Tuberculosis Association, recently incorporated, which is working in co-operation with the University of Wisconsin extension department, the Wisconsin Anti-Tuberculosis Association, and the Associated Charities of Madison for the prevention and cure of the disease within the city, has recently issued a small folder, or which are given rules for protection against the disease, as follows:

Don't Get Tuberculosis Yourself.

"Keep as well as possible, for the healthier your body, the harder for the germs of tuberculosis to grow therein. To keep healthy, observe the following rules:

"Don't live, study or sleep in rooms where there is no fresh air. Fresh air and sunlight kill the tubercle and bacilli and germs causing other diseases. Therefore have as much of both in your room as possible.

"Don't live in dusty air. Keep your rooms clean. Get rid of dust by cleaning with damp cloths and mops.

"Don't sweep with a dry broom.

"Keep at least one window open in your bedroom at night, and air the room two or three times a day.

"Don't eat with soiled hands. Wash them first.

"Don't put your hands, pencils, or any candy or chewing gum, other persons have used, in your mouth.

"Don't keep soiled handkerchiefs in your pockets.

"Take a warm bath with soap at least once a week.

"Don't neglect a cold or cough, but go to a doctor or a clinic."

Following these, the card gives simple rules for the treatment of tuberculosis, as below:

"Don't waste your money on patent medicines or advertised consumption cures, but go to a doctor or a clinic. If you go in time, you can be cured; if you wait, may be too late.

"Don't drink whiskey or other forms of liquor.

"Don't sleep in the same bed with anyone else, and if possible, not in the same room.

"Good food, fresh air and rest are the best cures. Keep out in the fresh air and in the sunlight as much as possible.

"Keep your windows open winter and summer, day and night.

"If properly wrapped you will not catch cold.

"Go to a sanitarium if you can, and before it is too late."

As many children and grown up people have tuberculosis without knowing it, and can give it to others about them, the following rules for everyone to follow are suggested:

"Don't swallow your expectoration, but—

"Don't spit on the sidewalks, playgrounds, or on the floors of hallways of your home or school. It spreads disease, and is dangerous, indecent and against the law.

"When you must spit, spit in the gutters or in a spittoon half filled with water.

"Don't cough or sneeze without holding a handkerchief or your hand over your mouth or nose."

From Sickness to "Excellent Health."

So says Mrs. Chas. Lyon, Peoria, Ill.: "I found in your Foley Kidney Pills a prompt and speedy cure for backache and kidney trouble which bothered me for many months. I am now enjoying excellent health which I owe to Foley Kidney Pills." Johnson & Hill Co.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

John Young is spending a week in Milwaukee visiting with relatives. Amos Hasebrouck transacted business in Chicago several days the past week.

Mrs. W. L. Lahn returned on Friday from a visit with relatives in Green Bay.

Miss Mayme Dolin of Janesville is a guest at the Michael Dolan home this week.

Mrs. Edward VanWie is spending the week in LaCrosse visiting with her parents.

Joseph Lyons visited with friends in Wausau and Merrill several days the past week.

Miss Bertha Gantler departed on Sunday night for a visit with relatives in Chicago.

Frank Kohl of Marshfield was a guest at the home of Mrs. John Lamm on Thursday.

Miss Matilda Kleven departed on Friday for an extended visit with relatives in Merrill.

Mrs. Felix LaPointe of Marshfield was a guest at the Seth Spafford home several days last week.

Mrs. Ohas. Laramie and children departed on Friday for a week's visit with relatives in Marshfield.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wagner returned the past week from a visit with relatives in Oshkosh.

Willard White, associate editor of the Marshfield News, was a business visitor in the city on Saturday.

—Remember I. W. Barker's Cough Remedy for that cough and sore throat. Johnson & Hill Co.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Urbanowski of Stevens Point were Sunday visitors at the Max Urbanowski home.

Mrs. Elsie Harve departed on Saturday evening for a visit with relatives in Merrill and Tomahawk.

Mrs. Joe Kohl of Edgar is a guest at the home of her sister, Mrs. Josephine Hoffstetter on Fourth Ave. N.

Miss Anna Duchrow returned to Chicago on Sunday night after spending two weeks visiting with her parents.

Walter Wood returned home last Wednesday after a very pleasant month spent in the hay fields of Minnesota.

Miss Avis Linderman of Colby was a guest at the home of her brother, J. H. Linderman several days the past week.

Atty. E. O. Pors, Deputy Sheriff John Schmitt and Dave Horney of Marshfield were in the city on Friday to attend a sheriff's sale.

—Stevens Point Fair, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday, August 28, 29, 30 and 31st, 1910. Make a note of it and go.

Walter Gardner departed on Friday night for Seattle, Wash., after spending a week in the city visiting with relatives and looking after some business matters.

Mrs. John Kollenda returned last week from Winona much improved in health, having been in the Winona hospital for some time where she submitted to a surgical operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Urbanowski moved into their new home on Fifth street last week which has just been completed by John Kubisak. The house is 28x24, two stories with a 14x30 wing.

John M. Tooling, who has had the management of the Hotel Lincoln at Merrill practically since it has been built, has severed his connections as manager and leaves for Youngstown, Ohio, where he will take the management of a large hotel.

Oscar Lind, who has been confined to his bed for several months with sickness, was able to come down town for the first time last week. Although still very weak, Oscar is getting along nicely which is good news to his many friends about town.

—Guns and ammunition, latest records of all kinds, talking machines, Cutlery, toys and bicycles must be sold out at Geo. Krieger & Co's., opposite market square, west side, 25.

County Sept. Robt. Morris of Arpin was a pleasant caller at this office on Saturday. Mr. Morris informed us that his father-in-law, Ohas Johnson of Sigel, who is a patient at Augustana hospital at Chicago, where he was recently operated, is getting along nicely and will soon be able to return home, which is welcome news to Mr. Johnson's friends in this city.

Dysentery is a dangerous disease but can be cured. Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy has been successfully used in nine epidemics of dysentery. It has never been known to fail. It is equally valuable for children and adults, and when reduced with water and sweetened, it is pleasant to take. Sold by all druggists.

Candidate for Sheriff.

To the Voters of Wood County—I wish to announce that I am a candidate on the democratic ticket for the office of sheriff. Should I be fortunate enough to be elected I promise to be faithful to every trust connected with said office.

Michael Mason,
Grand Rapids, Wis.

Candidate for Sheriff.

To the Voters of Wood County.—I wish to announce myself as a candidate for the office of sheriff of Wood County at the republican primaries to be held September 6, 1910.

S. L. Brooks,
Grand Rapids, Wis.

For County Clerk.

To the Voters of Wood County.—I wish to announce that I am a candidate for the office of County Clerk and shall seek the nomination through the regular primary on Sept. 6, 1910, on the republican ticket. If nominated and elected, I shall give my entire time and attention to the faithful discharge of the duties of the office.

F. H. Eberhardt—4t

For District Attorney.

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LOCAL ITEMS.

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Amos Haebrock transacted business in Chicago several days the past week.

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Miss Mayme Dulin of Janesville is a guest at the Michael Dolan home this week.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Wagner returned the past week from a visit with relatives in Caladonia.

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Just give Ireland a chance and she will rise rapidly from the results of centuries of oppression, and it looks now as though she is to come into her own at last. My Irish friends on shipboard have only good words now for the English nation, and they reflect the general feeling among the common people in the Emerald Isle.

AFTERNOON, 5 O'CLOCK. We rounded Holyhead at one o'clock today. We could see the rough and rugged coast country of Wales for several hours this forenoon. We are in the Irish sea now, headed east for Liverpool which we shall sight at eight o'clock tonight. We are all packed up, ready to disembark. My watch, still ticking Wisconsin time, is nearly six hours slow.

Our voyage is nearly over and we are all eager to set foot on the island whose history we have studied, and whose literature has inspired the student to noblest of her purposes and greater ambitions. Before you hear from us again, we shall have visited Stratford-on-Avon.

"Down the abyss
Up the sky's way
We plunge, we pull
And this is man,
That on the day,
The hour he planned
Our boat shall land."

Announcement of Candidacy.

To the Voters of Wood County—I wish to announce that I am a candidate of the office of sheriff of Wood County and shall seek nomination at the primary on Sept. 6, 1910, on the republican ticket. If nominated and elected I shall endeavor to discharge the duties of the office in a faithful and conscientious manner.

Louis Thompson.

Lowell's Tribute to Women.

Earth's noblest thing, a woman perfected.—Lowell.

Alumni Friday Evening.

A special constitution committee composed of five alumni met the latter part of last week for the purpose of drawing up a set of rules and privileges to govern the new organization which found its beginning in a small meeting of the most interested ones about the middle of June. During the past few weeks printed postals have been sent by the secretary to every eligible member notifying them that on Friday, August 19 a reunion meeting will be held at the Lincoln High school for the purpose of winding up all business matters pertaining to the organization of the association, and also for the purpose of making plans for a grand social function some time in September.

This Friday evening is the time set for the big meeting and it is sincerely hoped that all who are interested in the success of the proposition will present themselves.

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Gentlemen: Kowki, Kory; Legendre, E. A.; Phillips, George; Seng, Mr. Standard Paper Company; Wenzel, A. P.; Wilson, Percy.

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GRAND RAPIDS, WIS.

CANADA'S NEW TOY.

The germ of the Canadian navy is rapidly developing into a lively organism. The cruiser Rainbow, it is announced, will soon start from Portsmouth for the Pacific coast of Canada after having been thoroughly overhauled and inspected under the authority of the British Admiralty. The cruiser Niobe will leave Portsmouth for Halifax. Each warship will carry a full complement of British officers, who will serve in the Canadian navy for two years and a "skeleton" crew, of which the members will be engaged for five years, says Toronto Globe. It is not expected that it will be at all difficult to obtain the necessary officers and men in Canada when it becomes necessary to enlist them. It is interesting to note that the first proposal to construct a drydock of large dimensions under the legislation of last session has been made by the English firm of Vickers & Maxine, which has filed plans at Ottawa for works at Montreal covering fifty acres and costing two and a half million dollars. The construction of torpedo destroyers has long been a specialty with this celebrated firm, but for more important for this country is the building and repairing of steel vessels of large size. The introduction of such a plant will mark a new stage in the evolution of shipbuilding in Canada.

The Chicago public school authorities are preparing to establish a new high school course of two years, for the benefit of pupils who for financial reasons can remain no longer in the high schools. It is believed that by doing this many pupils who now go out into the business world from the district schools could be induced to take a special course of two years arranged with a view to their future employment. The development is in line with effort to strengthen the public schools as institutions for the preparation of young men and women for the practical work of life, and its outcome will be noted with interest by educators.

The rush to the newly-discovered gold fields of Alaska continues, and thousands are on their way, notwithstanding the certainty that many hardships and risk of failure to "make good" await them. And this in spite of that alleged discovery by a Scranton alchemist of a method for transmuting baser metals into the precious varieties, with the supposed possibilities of cheapening values. Evidently the glamour of gold has not yet lost power to lure the adventurers.

Look over a crowd of men in any place and it will be seen that black and the darker colors predominate in their clothes, no matter how hot the weather. Besides being unnecessarily uncomfortable they exert a depressing effect upon both wearer and beholder. A freer use of colors in men's clothing would make the world a brighter place for most of us.

A Pennsylvania man has gone into bankruptcy with liabilities of \$144,773. Some of the actors who have gone into bankruptcy will be surprised to learn that his assets amount to considerably more than the price of an overcoat with a fur collar.

At a class dinner of a woman's school it developed that of the seniors fourteen were brides-to-be. This doesn't look as if Dan Cupid were worrying much over the higher education as a serious obstacle to his business.

Why can't people learn to say the "better" man, instead of the "best" man, when but two contend? How can we hope to be a great people as long as the populace will be so careless?

Bethlehem, Pa., reports that the inventor of "pink cross lemonade" is dead. To have lived all these years, he himself couldn't have drunk much of it.

There is a German periodical called Der Gesundheitsgenuss. It must have trouble in finding room to put the picture of a girl on the front cover.

Two men in a New York town made their escape from jail by means of a safety razor. But it was a close shave.

When the mother birds are gndling about the little birds of today are learning to fly by watching the aeroplanes that Dayton, O., sends out and up.

If the comet was responsible for the unreasonable of many people would now be glad if arrangements could be made for a return engagement.

New England holdups are just as bad as those born in the west.

Count Zepplin, aged 72, directed the first passenger air flight ever undertaken by man and brought it to a successful conclusion. Another solar plexus for the Oberlin theory.

Some lose their heads in emergencies, others stick their heads out of car windows. It appears to be a matter of taste.

Now that aviation has become a craze all the time is fly time.

A New York couple has been making love by means of wireless messages. That is nothing. Our grand fathers used to know all about that.

"The Girl in the Kimono" is the title of one of the new summer shows. It is to be hoped that she is in something else also.

A Milwaukee woman has been left \$100,000 on condition that she marry. Luck certainly does favor some men.

AERONAUT IS HURT

WALTER BROOKINGS' MACHINE CRASHES INTO CROWD OF SPECTATORS.

SEVEN SERIOUSLY INJURED

Presence of Mind Displayed by Aviator When Aeroplane Turns Turtle Probably Saves Many Lives—High Wind Causes Accident.

Akron Park, N. J. Walter A. Brookings, the aviator, and seven spectators were seriously injured at the intersection of the field Wednesday when Brookings, in a new type of Wright biplane, attempted to effect a landing in a high wind, after making a sensational flight.

George Hurst, fourteen years old, living at Spring Lake, N. J., was pinned under the wreckage and is lying at the Long Island hospital as the result of a fractured skull, dislocated hip and internal injuries.

Brookings, although pinned under the heavy motor, escaped with a broken nose and contusions about the head and body. The accident might have cost many lives, if it had not been for Brookings' presence of mind. In order to inaugurate Ashbury Park aviation meet on Saturday, he went up shortly after four o'clock in a gusty wind blowing at the rate of 30 miles an hour. As he was about to descend with one of his spectacular spiral turns he lost control of the machine, being directly over the grand stand the machine dived for the spectators.

Realizing that the result would be fatal if the craft fell in a heap, Brookings managed to swing the machine around at an angle and make a crash landing. The aeroplane was too close to the ground to make the maneuver entirely successful. It barely cleared the heads of the wildly excited crowd, which it smashed into the grand stand at the end of the field. The groups of spectators were unable to escape over a high wire fence designed to keep out the crowd. All of them were pinned under the wreckage.

DISASTROUS FIRE IN BOSTON

Property in Business Center of the City, Valued at \$2,000,000 Is Destroyed.

Boston.—Driven by a strong southwest gale flames destroyed property valued at \$2,000,000 here Tuesday night and for a time seriously threatened to wipe out the business and manufacturing part of the city.

A general alarm called all the fire apparatus in the city to the scene and later a call for help was sent to Brookline, Cambridge and Somerville and all the available fire fighting apparatus in those towns was rushed to the scene of the conflagration. Two lumber yards, fifty tenement houses and the Dover street bridge were in flames at one time. Three pieces of fire apparatus were lost by the department because of the rush of the flames. Several firemen and many policemen had narrow escapes from serious injury. Many of the tenement house dwellers in the fire zone also had narrow escapes from the rapidly spreading flames. Hundreds of pounds of dynamite were used to blow up buildings on both Dover and Albany streets to stop the progress of the conflagration, which was sweeping toward Washington street and the great shipping and business district when it was checked. While this fire was in progress another which threatened the nearly as large ruins in the wholesale district in the heart of the city.

AMERICAN BOAT WINS CUP

Schooner Westward, Owned by New York Yachtman, Takes Gold Trophy at Cowes.

Cowes, Isle of Wight. — The American schooner Westward, owned by A. C. Cochran of New York, easily won the race for the International gold cup sailed off Ryde. Her nearest competitor, the Germania, owned by Lieut. Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, was five miles astern when the winner crossed the finish line. Emperor William's yacht Meteor, the Cicely and the Susana also completed.

FLYER HITS AUTO; FIVE DIE

Lives of Baltimoreans Are Crushed Out at Railroad Crossing at Cape May, N. J.

Cape May, N. J.—Five lives of Baltimoreans were crushed out Tuesday when the express train dashed into an automobile at a crossing on the West Jersey and Seashore railroad. From Philadelphia struck the automobile carrying Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Feldner and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Mermuth and their chauffeur.

Mergenthaler's Son Killed.

Cape May, N. J.—Five persons were crushed to death Tuesday when an express train dashed into an automobile at a crossing on the West Jersey and Seashore railroad. Among the dead were Fritz Mergenthaler, son of the Linotype inventor, and his wife.

Boy Taken As Mail Robber.

New Orleans, La.—Edward Helman, twelve years old, was arrested at Hammond Wednesday and brought to New Orleans. He is charged with robbing several postoffices.

Twenty-Six Go Down With Schooner.

Nassau, The Bahamas.—The schooner Emma, bound from Nassau to Tampa, was lost near Castle Island Monday during a storm and 24 men and two women, all negroes, were drowned. Five survivors got ashore.

Quarantine for Infantile Paralysis.

Saville, Wash.—Dr. J. E. Creighton, commissioner of health, has issued an order requiring that all cases of infantile paralysis be placed under strict quarantine as soon as reported.

Dog Gives Alarm as Mistress Dies.

Rockford, Ill.—Mrs. W. H. Shaw, wife of a pioneer Methodist minister, dropped dead in the orchard of her home here Saturday. The whining of her dog.

U. S. and Portugal Fix Tariff.

Lisbon.—A complete agreement in the tariff negotiations between Portugal and the United States was officially announced Saturday. Each nation grants the other the most favored nation agreement.

GORE BARES LOBBY SECRETS

AGAIN REFERS TO SHERMAN IN LAND INQUIRY.

McMurray, the Alleged Promoter, Shown to Have Operated a Campaign of Telegrams.

McAlester, Okla.—Senator T. P. Gore at the investigation of the Indian land deals Tuesday introduced and had read to the special committee telegrams in which the names of Vice President Sherman and Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas were named. One of the telegrams read:

"With McMurray there to state our claims, with Mr. Curtis and Mr. Sherman, who understands better than anybody else what we want, and with the assistance of our president, it begins to look like we are coming into our own."

Its relation to Senator Gore's charges of having been offered \$25,000 bribe to "put through" congress the \$20,000,000 McMurray Indian land deal was explained by the senator.

"It merely shows the activity of the McMurray interests at Washington," said Senator Gore. "It is merely to state that if the names of these men were taken in vain at one time they may have been at another," replied Mr. Gore.

McAlester, Okla.—Six hundred Indians assembled at a "war council" at Sulphur, Okla., and, using up almost an entire bottle of ink, wrote their signatures individually to the McMurray land contracts.

Although informed that J. F. McMurray, brother of the contractor, would not profit from \$200,000 to \$3,000,000 in "attorneys' fees," the Indians were advised that the contracts afforded the quickest way to realize on their land, estimated to be 450,000 acres in extent, and valued at \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000 in addition to the land contracts. McMurray's agents had the Indians sign contracts for tax deeds against the government at a stated fee for each acre. The land fee was 10 per cent, contingent upon the sale of the land.

James H. Godfrey, a Chickasaw Indian by intermarriage, gave testimony before the congressional investigating committee Wednesday.

Godfrey said he induced the Indians to assemble at Sulphur to persuade them to sign the contracts, although 10,000 of which McMurray previously had obtained. McMurray, he said, had been successful in previous litigation for the Indians and the Indians believed if they paid him 10 per cent, attorneys' fees he would be able to urge the authorities at Washington to expedite the sale.

PLEAD FOR POSTAL BANKS

Post Office Department Receive 55 Additional Requests From Postmasters and National Banks.

Washington. — Mails brought 55 additional requests to the post office department for establishment of postal banks. About half of them came from postmasters, which is a larger proportion than has been shown up to date by the totals, which include 330 requests from postmasters and 222 from national banks. Among the applicants is the First National bank of Mount Olive, Ill., which asks to be designated as a depository for funds collected in that town and also at Stanton, which has no state or national bank; the First National bank of Kewanee, Ill., also an applicant.

REWARD FOR RICE MURDERER

Friends of Cleveland Attorney Are Determined His Slayer Shall Be Captured.

Cleveland, O. — To stimulate the search for the murderer of William L. Rice, the attorney who was shot down near his home in Euclid Heights Friday night, the reward for the apprehension of his assassin was increased to \$10,000.

In addition to the \$5,000 reward posted Sunday by Mr. Rice's law partners, William Nelson Cromwell of New York, who accompanied Mrs. Rice to Cleveland from an eastern summer resort, offered another \$5,000.

Indiana Sons of America.

Glenwood, Ind.—The state camp of the Patriotic Order Sons of America of Indiana was held here Tuesday, opening with the address of President O. Perry Everson of Crawfordsville. The report of Secretary W. D. Symmes showed the order was in excellent condition in the state and that five new camps were soon to be instituted. Last night there was a contest between ballroom teams from Crawfordsville, Indianapolis and Rushville.

Wire Franks Called In.

New York.—Following the revocation of railroad passes which the interstate commerce law abolished several years ago, the telegraph companies announce that the telegraph franking privilege is soon to be withdrawn from those who have used it.

Congressman Lamb Renominated.

New Orleans, La.—By a majority of 700 to 500, in a vote of about 6,000, Congressman Lamb of this, the third district, has been renominated for reelection by the Democratic primary.

Betrothal Story Is Denied.

New York.—Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia, who arrived in this city Tuesday and most emphatically denied the cable reports from Italy that his daughter, Katherine, is engaged to the Duke of the Abruzzi.

\$4,000 in Opium Seized.

Kansas City, Mo.—More than \$4,000 worth of opium was taken from the store of Jim Long Tuesday by police who raided the place here. The drug was packed in a trunk ready for shipment.

Attack Big Butter Concern.

Trenton, N. J.—Judge Cross of the federal district court Monday appointed receivers for the American Producers' association, which the petitioners assert, is insolvent. The concern is a large manufacturer and refiner of butter and has plants in Illinois, Ohio and Michigan.

Mayor Shoots and Kills Self.

Winning, Man.—Mayor Scott of Pincher Creek, Alberta, shot and killed himself Monday with a shotgun. No reason is given for the act.

STATE CROPS FAR BELOW AVERAGE

Conditions Range From 52 to 78 Per Cent. of Normal.

DROUGHT DAMAGE SERIOUS

Enough Threshing of Grain Has Been Done to Show That the Yield of Wheat, Rye and Barley Will Be About Normal.

Madison.—Farm crops in Wisconsin have been so badly damaged by the lack of rain that their condition ranges from 52 to 78 per cent. of the average for this time of the year, according to the monthly report issued by Secretary John M. True of the state board of agriculture.

Unless a general rain comes soon, the crop situation will become much more serious, Secretary True believes. His report is as follows, being based on returns received.

There was no general rain during the month of July. There were, however, slight showers in most parts of the state that have saved growing crops from complete destruction. Pastures have suffered most, and are now furnishing little food for stock, this shortage being supplied by feeding of hay and grain feeds.

Enough threshing of grain has been done to show that the yield of wheat and barley will not fall far below the normal yield. Oats, though materially injured upon sandy or dry land, will furnish a better yield than was anticipated on the last report.

Corn planted upon good, fertile fields, and well cultivated, has shown a remarkable degree of vitality, and with a general rain now would make a fair crop.

Early potatoes are small, and the yield is light. Water potatoes are already suffering from want of rain, and the crop will be materially shortened even if rain comes soon.

Early planted tobacco is blossoming without any desirable growth of leaf, while the late planted is still small and not promising.

Sugar beets are doing fairly well, though making slow growth. The following percentages of condition of crops is reported by correspondents:

| | Per Cent. | Chickens | Per Cent. |
|----------|-----------|-------------|-----------|
| Corn | 52 | Barley | 78 |
| Potatoes | 52 | Tobacco | 55 |
| Wheat | 52 | Sugar beets | 77 |
| Rye | 52 | Peas | 50 |
| Barley | 52 | Pumpkins | 50 |

Lewis Nomination Papers Filed.

Petitions for the nomination of Capt. William Mitchell Lewis of Racine, to be a Republican candidate for governor, were filed in the office of the secretary of state. Voters to the number of 5,118 in 48 counties have signed the petitions, which were the first filed.

Petitions for the nomination of Senator Morris of La Crosse to be a Republican candidate for lieutenant governor were also filed. They bear the signatures of 3,276 electors. Also petitions for A. M. Spencer, Appleton, candidate for congress in the Fourth district; Edward F. Killen, Wausau, candidate for the state senate in the Ninth senatorial district; John M. True, Baraboo, secretary of the state board of agriculture, candidate for the state senate in the Twenty-seventh district.

For Democratic candidate for member of congress in the Fifth district petitions containing the names of 525 voters are filed for W. J. Murray of Wausau.

Milwaukee Railroad Tax Payments.

Another draft for \$100,000 was received by the state treasury department from the St. Paul Railroad company. This makes \$200,000 received from the company in two days.

State Park Board Acts.

Deputy Attorney General Jackson asked Judge Stevens to enjoin the American Refractories company, Joliet, Ill., from blasting stones on property near Devil's lake.

The state park board wants to utilize the land about the lake for a state park.

The company owns about eighty acres of the land and maintains that the stone is valuable for use in connection with its manufacture of brick.

Few Lincoln County Lands Sold.

State Treasurer Dahl states that the sales of state lands in Lincoln county amounted to \$1,000.

State Meat Contracts.

The state board of control let the contract for the supply for the tonnage and charitable institutions of the state to Armour & Co., Chicago, for three months. The rate is \$7,526.49 per month. The rate in the last contract was \$8,641.69 per month. The principal reduction is in the price of beef.

Will Fight Injunction.

George McKewen, president of the state board of agriculture, and Assistant Attorney General Russell Jackson, after a conference, decided to ask Judge Lueck, Wausau, to dissolve the injunction against the building of the state fair speedway secured by Frank T. Andrae, West Allis.

Mr. Andrae asks that the board, the contractors and State Treasurer Dahl, jointly, be prevented from building the barns within 600 feet of his West Allis residence.

No date for the hearing has been set as there has been no communication with Judge Lueck.

State Officers Moving.

The state tax commission is moving from the south wing of the old capitol to temporary quarters in the Washington building, East Washington street.

The Civil Service Commission Will vacate its quarters in the old capitol.

Gov. James O. Davidson will move his offices from the present quarters to the new apartments in the east wing of the new building later in the month.

State Board Buys Coal.

The state board of control purchased 60 tons of coal for the state prison in Wausau and the school for the feeble minded in Chippewa Falls from the Pennsylvania Coal and Supply company, Milwaukee, and the Conklin Bros. company, Madison.

On October 16 bids will be received for the supply of coal for the ten penal and charitable institutions of the state.

It is estimated that about 40,000 tons of coal will be required by the institutions for the winter.

State Bankers to Meet in La Crosse.

The sixteenth annual convention of the Wisconsin Bankers' association will be held in La Crosse. The program was announced by Secretary George D. Bartlett. A commercial exhibit will be one of the features.

The convention will be called to order by President E. M. Wing, after which J. M. Holley, president of the La Crosse Bankers' club, will deliver the address of welcome. E. A. Dow, president of the State bank, Plymouth, will respond. This will be followed by the annual reports of Secretary Bartlett, Treasurer B. W. Davis, Wausau, and President Wing, La Crosse. The executive and standing committees also will make their reports.

Time will be devoted to a revision of the constitution and bylaws and an address on "Bank Reserves" by J. H. Pfeiffer, Milwaukee. Thirty minutes' discussion on "Advertising" will follow, in which Mortimer I. Stevens, editor of the Wisconsin Banker; W. M. Post, Milwaukee, and Earle Pease, Grand Rapids, will participate. "The La Crosse Bankers" is a subject to be discussed by C. H. Schweitzer, La Crosse.

Second day will begin with reports from secretaries of state groups, followed by an address on "Banking and Commercial Credits" by F. H. Adair, president of the National Association of Credit Men, Chicago. Various phases of the subject, "Segregation of Savings Deposits" will then be discussed by Assemblyman Platt, Wausau, Highland; C. R. Thomson, Richland Center, and C. R. Carpenter, Racine. M. A. Grattinger, Milwaukee, will discuss "Bank Examinations Under Association Supervision." A discussion of "Status of Bank Stock" will occupy much of the time. Thursday afternoon, in which Nils P. Haugen, member of the state tax commission; J. A. Hoehnlepp and Attorney A. E. Matheson, Janesville, will participate.

Officers will be elected following the report of the committee on resolutions. Immediately after adjourning the meeting, members of the American Bankers' association will elect a vice-president for Wisconsin and a member of the nominating committee of that association.

Says Seining Will Not Destroy Carp.

Prof. George Wagner of the University of Wisconsin, an acknowledged expert on everything that relates to fish life, states that in his opinion the years of seining in the lakes of Madison would fall to make any appreciable difference in the supply of carp. Capt. G. W. Rickmann, state game warden, insists that constant seining soon will exterminate the large carp and in time will reduce to a minimum the number of those fish in the lakes and streams around Madison. He also insists that the carp do more harm to game fish than possibly can be done by the use of large seines. Prof. Wagner, in a polite way, intimates that Mr. Rickmann does not know what he is talking about.

"In my opinion you could seine these lakes for the next ten years and fail to make an appreciable impression upon the number of carp," declared Prof. Wagner.

"In the majority of cases all the fish that are caught in a carp seine die of injuries," declared the university expert. "You can imagine how much chance a game fish would have in a drove of fighting carp. When a single fish is caught a fungus growth develops and causes death. It does not take much to tear the gill of a pickerel or a pike and an injury of this kind is almost certain to prove fatal. Pickerel and pike are particularly sensitive. Bass can stand little more."

Wisconsin Patents.

The following list of patents recently granted to Wisconsin inventors is reported: Fred D. Hansen, Milwaukee, parachute gun; H. W. Cheney, Milwaukee, motor controller; Henry Christensen, Tomah, cream ripener; Elyon H. Cooley, Campbellsport, sign; William Dwyer, Tomahawk, chute; James Forrest, Milwaukee, bottle; Arthur Judavine, Baraboo, tank or container; Paul Kilmowicz and J. S. Worsalla, Stevens Point, mattress; Wallace P. MacGregor, Racine, pneumatic slacker; Robert A. McKee, Milwaukee, turbine packing; John Meizer and H. J. Rademacher, Milwaukee, canopy casket; William A. Nieman, Milwaukee, horse-shoe; Frederick W. Rogers, Beaver Dam, stove top; Rudolph Schlatter, Milwaukee, steam turbine; Wallace L. Selbeck, Darlington, pencil attachment; Solomon R. and William L. Wagg, Appleton, driving mechanism for paper refining engines; Frederick A. Wegner, Milwaukee, grain drier; John Welsh, Green Bay, cabinet and paper therefor.

State Parole Officer Dead.

News has been received of the death of his home in Westfield of H. R. Rawson, for five years agent for the state home for dependent children at Sparta, and for ten years parole officer at the Wausau state school.

Until a permanent appointment is made B. M. Jostand of La Crosse will perform the duties of parole officer of the Wausau institution.

New Corporations.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of Secretary of State Frear as follows:

An amendment was filed by the Vollach company of Sheboygan increasing its capital from \$10,000 to \$50,000 and increasing the number of its directors from three to five.

The New Mercantile Rating and Credit company, a Wisconsin corporation, with \$387,950 capital and \$25,000 interest in Wisconsin, filed a statement to do business in the state.

Wernheim Woodwork company, Wausau; capital, \$50,000; incorporators, F. W. Genrich, M. B. Rosenberg, G. D. Jones.

New Union Trencher Company.

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Washington.—The Payne-Aldrich tariff law has produced in its first year a revenue larger by \$75,000,000 than the sum collected in any twelve months in the country's history, except the banner year 1907, according to treasury department figures issued Monday.

During the first full year, ended last Saturday night, the total ordinary receipts, including customs, ordinary internal revenue, corporation tax and miscellaneous, aggregating \$78,850,816, exceeded disbursements by \$20,214,025. These ordinary receipts were larger by \$15,000,000, approximately, than during 1907, and the 1907 receipts exceeded those of any other year of record by almost \$50,000,000. Although there was a deficit of \$58,734,956 in the ordinary operations of the government in the fiscal year ended June 30, 1909, there was a surplus of more than \$20,000,000 in the year which ended last Saturday, according to the department.

RAPER WINS KNIGHTS' DRILL

Indianapolis. Commandary Captures First Honors, Cincinnati Is Second, Kansas City Third.

Chicago.—Raper commandary No. 1, of Indianapolis, captured first honors in the competitive drill upon all Knights Templar commandaries outside of Cook county.

Manheim commandary, No. 16, of Cincinnati, was awarded second prize, and Oriental commandary, No. 35, of Kansas City, took third prize.

Raper's trophy is an immense silver lithion fountain with silver cups. An international concord between Knights Templar organizations of England, Scotland, Ireland, Canada and the United States was formally ratified and adopted by the grand commandary of the United States at the first real business meeting of the sixtieth biennial convocation.

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CANADA'S NEW TOY.

The germ of the Canadian navy is rapidly developing into a lively organism. The cruiser Rainbow, it is announced, will soon start from Portmouth for the Pacific coast of Canada after having been thoroughly overhauled and inspected under the authority of the British Admiralty. The cruiser Niobe will leave Portmouth for Halifax. Each warship will carry a full complement of British officers, who will serve in the Canadian navy for two years and a "skateboard" crew, of which the members will be engaged for five years, says Toronto Globe. It is not expected that it will be at all difficult to obtain the necessary officers and men in Canada when it becomes necessary to enlist them. It is interesting to note that the first proposal to construct a drydock of large dimensions under the legislation of last session has been made by the English firm of Vickers & Maxfield, which has filed plans at Ottawa for works at Montreal covering fifty acres and costing two and a half million dollars. The construction of torpedo destroyers has long been a specialty with this celebrated firm, but far more important for this country is the building and repairing of steel vessels of large size. The introduction of such a plant will mark a new stage in the evolution of shipbuilding in Canada.

The Chicago public school authorities are preparing to establish a new high school course of two years, for the benefit of pupils who for financial reasons can remain no longer in the high schools. It is believed that by doing this many pupils who now go out into the business world from the district schools could be induced to take a special course of two years arranged with a view to their future employment. The development is in line with effort to strengthen the public schools as institutions for the preparation of young men and women for the practical work of life, and its outcome will be noted with interest by educators.

The rush to the newly-discovered gold fields of Alaska continues, and thousands are on their way, notwithstanding the certainty that many hardships and risk of failure to "make good" await them. And this in spite of that alleged discovery by a Seranton alchemist of a method for transmuting baser metals into the precious varieties, with the supposed possibilities of cheapening values. Evidently the glamour of gold has not yet lost power to lure the adventurers.

Look over a crowd of men in any place and it will be seen that black and the darker colors predominate in their clothing, no matter how hot the weather. Besides being unnecessarily uncomfortable they exert a depressing effect upon both wearer and beholder. A freer use of colors in men's clothing would make the world a brighter place for most of us.

A Pennsylvania man has gone into bankruptcy with liabilities of \$14,465.773. Some of the actors who have gone into bankruptcy will be surprised to learn that his assets amount to considerably more than the price of an overcoat with a fur collar.

At a class dinner of a woman's college it developed that of the seniors fourteen were brides-to-be. This doesn't look as if Dan Cupid were worrying much over the higher education as a serious obstacle to his business.

Why can't people learn to say the "better" man won, instead of the "best" man, when but two contend? How can we hope to be a great people as long as the populace will be so careless?

Bethlehem, Pa., reports that the inventor of "pink circles lemonade" is dead. To have lived all these years, he himself couldn't have drunk much of it.

There is a German periodical called Der Gesundheitsingenieur. It must have trouble in finding room to put the picture of a girl on the front cover.

Two men in a New York town made their escape from jail by means of a safety razor. But it was a close shave.

When the mother birds are sadding about the little birds of today are learning to fly by watching the aeroplanes that Dayton, O., sends out and up.

If the comet was responsible for the unseasonable cold many people would now be glad if arrangements could be made for a return engagement.

Now England holdups are just as bad as those born in the west.

Count Zeppelin, aged 72, directed the first passenger air flight over undertaken by man and brought it to a successful conclusion. Another solar plexus for the Oslerian theory.

Some loss their heads in emergencies, others stick their heads out of car windows. It appears to be a matter of taste.

Now that aviation has become a craze all the time is by time.

A New York couple has been making love by means of wireless messages. That is nothing. Our grandfathers used to know all about that.

"The Girl in the Kimono" is the title of one of the new summer shows. It is to be hoped that she is in something else also.

A Milwaukee woman has been left \$100,000 on condition that she marry. Luck certainly does favor some men.

AERONAUT IS HURT

WALTER BROOKING'S MACHINE CRASHES INTO CROWD OF SPECTATORS.

SEVEN SERIOUSLY INJURED

Presence of Mind Displayed by Aviator When Aeroplane Turns Turtle Probably Saves Many Lives—High Wind Causes Accident.

Asbury Park, N. J.—Walter A. Brookings, the aviator, and seven spectators were seriously injured at the Interlaken field Wednesday when Brookings, in a new type of Wright biplane, attempted to effect a landing in a high wind, after making a sensational flight.

George Burnett, fourteen years old, living at Spring Lake, N. J., was pinned under the wreckage and is lying at the Long Branch hospital as the result of a fractured skull, dislocated hip and internal injuries.

Brookings, although pinned under the heavy motor, escaped with a broken nose and contusions about the head and body. The accident might have cost many lives, if it had not been for Brookings' presence of mind. In order to inaugurate Asbury Park's aviation meet on schedule time, he was up at six o'clock in the morning in a gusty wind blowing at the rate of 30 miles an hour. As he was about to descend with one of his spectacular spiral turns he lost control of the machine. Being directly over the grand stand the machine dived for the panic-stricken crowd.

Realizing that the result would be frightful if the craft fell on the spectators, caught like rats in a trap, Brookings managed to swing the machine around at an angle still more acute. But the aeroplane was too close to the ground to make the maneuver entirely successful. It barely cleared the heads of the wildly hysterical crowd, when it smashed into the grand stand at the end of the field. The groups of attaches there were unable to escape over a high wire fence designed to keep out the crowd. All of them were pinned under the wreckage.

DISASTROUS FIRE IN BOSTON

Property in Business Center of the City, Valued at \$2,000,000 Is Destroyed.

Tonaton.—Driven by a strong south-west gale flames destroyed property valued at \$2,000,000 here Tuesday night and for a time seriously threatened to wipe out the business and manufacturing part of the city.

A general alarm called all the fire apparatus in the city to the scene and later a call for help was sent to Brookline, Cambridge and Somerville and all the available fire fighting apparatus was rushed to the scene of the conflagration.

Two lumber yards, fifty tenement houses and the Dover street bridge were in flames at one time. Three pieces of fire apparatus were lost by the department because of the rush of the flames. Several hundred men and many policemen had narrow escapes from serious injury. Many of the tenement house dwellers in the fire zone also had narrow escapes from the rapidly spreading flames. Hundreds of pounds of dynamite were used to blow up buildings on both Dover and Albany streets to stop the progress of the conflagration, which was sweeping toward Washington street and the great shopping and business district when it was checked. While this fire was in progress another which threatened to be nearly as large raged in the wholesale district in the heart of the city.

AMERICAN BOAT WINS CUP

Schooner Westward, Owned by New York Yachtman, Takes Gold Trophy at Cowes.

Cowes, Isle of Wight.—The American schooner Westward, owned by A. C. Cochran of New York, easily won the race for the International gold cup sailed off Ryde. Her nearest competitor, the German, owned by Lieut. Krupp von Bohlen und Halbach, was five miles behind when the winner crossed the finish line. Her partner William's yacht Meteor, the Cicely and the Susana also competed.

FLYER HITS AUTO; FIVE DIE

Lives of Baltimoreans Are Crushed Out at Railroad Crossing at Cape May, N. J.

Cape May, N. J.—Five lives of Baltimoreans were crushed out Tuesday when the express train on the West Jersey and Seashore railroad from Philadelphia struck the automobile carrying Mr. and Mrs. Frederick W. Feldner and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Mergenthaler and their chauffeur.

Mergenthaler's Son Killed.

Cape May, N. J.—Five persons were crushed to death Tuesday when an express train dashed into an automobile at a crossing on the West Jersey and Seashore railroad. Among the dead were Fritz Mergenthaler, son of the linotype inventor, and his wife.

Boy Taken As Mail Robber.

New Orleans, La.—Edward Holmes, twelve years old, was arrested at Hammond Wednesday and brought to New Orleans. He is charged with robbing several postoffices.

Twenty-Six Go Down With Schooner.

Nassau, The Bahamas.—The schooner Emma, bound from Nassau to Inagua with laborers on board for South America, was lost near Castle Island Monday during a storm. Twenty-four men and two women, all negroes, were drowned. Five survivors got ashore.

Quarantine for Infantile Paralysis.

Seattle, Wash.—Dr. J. E. Crichton, commissioner of health, has issued an order requiring that all cases of infantile paralysis be placed under strict quarantine as soon as reported.

Dog Gives Alarm as Mistress Dies.

Rockford, Ill.—Mrs. W. H. Shaw, wife of a planter Methodist minister, dropped dead in the orchard of her home here Saturday. The whining of her dog.

U. S. and Portugal Fix Tariff.

Lisbon.—A complete agreement in the tariff negotiations between Portugal and the United States was officially announced Saturday. Each nation grants the other the most favored nation agreement.

GORE BARES LOBBY SECRETS

AGAIN REFERS TO SHERMAN IN LAND INQUIRY.

McMurray, the Alleged Promoter, Shown to Have Operated a Campaign of Telegrams.

McAlester, Okla.—Senator T. P. Gore at the investigation of the Indian land deals Tuesday introduced and had read to the special committee telegrams in which the names of Vice-President Sherman and Senator Charles Curtis of Kansas were named.

One of the telegrams read: "With McMurray there to state our claims, with Mr. Curtis and Mr. Sherman, who understands better than anybody else what we want, and with the assistance of our president, it begins to look like we are coming into our own."

In relation to Senator Gore's charges of having been offered \$25,000 bribe to "put through" congress the \$300,000 McMurray Indian land deal was explained by the senator.

"It merely shows the activity of the McMurray interests at Washington," said Senator Gore. "By offering this evidence, I do not wish to reflect either on Mr. Sherman or Mr. Curtis," said the senator.

"Do you mean that as an exonerator from you of Mr. Sherman?" asked Dennis Flynn, attorney for McMurray.

"It is merely to state that if the names of these men were taken in vain at one time they may have been at another," replied Mr. Gore.

McAlester, Okla.—Six hundred Indians assembled at a "war council" at Sulphur, Okla., and, using up almost an entire bottle of ink, wrote their signatures individually to the McMurray land contracts.

Although informed that J. F. McMurray, holder of the contracts, would net a profit of from \$2,000,000 to \$3,000,000 in "attorneys' fees," the Indians were advised that the contracts afforded the quickest way to realize on their land, estimated to be 450,000 acres in extent, and valued at \$30,000,000 to \$40,000,000. In addition to the land contracts, McMurray's agents had the Indians sign contracts for tax cases against the government.

Gore said he induced the Indians to assemble at Sulphur to persuade them to sign the contracts, almost 10,000 of which McMurray previously had obtained. McMurray, he said, had been successful in previous litigation against the Indians and the Indians believed if they paid him 10 per cent attorneys' fees he would be able to urge the authorities at Washington to expedite the sale.

PLEAD FOR POSTAL BANKS

Post Office Department, Receive 55 Additional Requests From Postmasters and National Banks.

Washington.—Mails brought 55 additional requests to the post office department for establishment of postal banks. About half of them came from postmasters, while the larger proportion than has been shown up to date by the totals, which include 300 requests from postmasters and 923 from national banks. Among the applicants is the First National bank of Mount Olive, Ill., which asks for \$250,000 to be deposited in funds collected in that town and also at Staunton, which has no state or national bank; the First National bank of Kewanee, Ill., also is an applicant.

REWARD FOR RICE MURDERER

Friends of Cleveland Attorney Are Determined His Slayer Shall Be Captured.

Cleveland, O.—To stimulate the search for the murderer of William L. Rice, the attorney who was shot down near his home in Euclid Heights Friday night, the reward for the apprehension of his assailant was increased to \$10,000.

In addition to the \$5,000 reward posted by the Cleveland Chronicle and the Cleveland Press, William L. Rice, a New York, who accompanied Rice to Cleveland from an eastern summer resort, offered another \$5,000.

Indiana Sons of America.

Glenwood, Ind.—The state camp of the Patriotic Order Sons of America of Indiana was held here Tuesday, opening the address of President O. Perry Eberhart of Grandfordville. The report of Secretary Sam D. Symmes showed that the order was in excellent condition in the state and that five new camps were soon to be instituted. Last night there was a contest between initiatory teams from Indianapolis, Indianapolis and Rushville.

Wire Franks Called In.

New York.—Following the revocation of railroad passes which the interstate commerce law abolished several years ago, the telegraph companies announced that the telegraph franking privilege is now to be withdrawn from those who have used it.

Congressman Lamb Renominated.

Richmond, Va.—By a majority of 700 to 800, in a vote of about 6,000, Congressman Lamb of this, the Third district, has been renominated for reelection by the Democratic primary.

Betrothal Story Is Denied.

New York.—Senator Stephen B. Elkins of West Virginia arrived in this city Tuesday and most emphatically denied the cable reports from Italy that his daughter, Katherine, is engaged to the Duke of the Abruzzi.

\$4,000 in Opium Seized.

Kansas City, Mo.—More than \$4,000 worth of opium was taken from the tea store of Jim Long Tuesday by police who raided the place here. The drug was packed in a trunk ready for shipment.

Attack Big Butter Concern.

Trenton, N. J.—Judge Cross of the federal district court Monday appointed receivers for the American Food company, which the petitioning creditors assert, is insolvent. The concern is a large manufacturer and refiner of butter and has plants in Illinois, Ohio and Michigan.

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Corn planted upon good, fertile fields, and well cultivated, has shown a remarkable degree of vitality, and with a general rain now would make a fair crop.

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The convention will be called to order by President E. M. Wing, after which J. M. Holley, president of the La Crosse Bankers' club, will deliver the address of welcome. E. A. Dow, president of the State bank, Plymouth, will respond. This will be followed by the annual reports of Secretary Bartlett, Treasurer B. W. Davis, Wausau, and President Wing, La Crosse. The executive and standing committees also will make their reports.

Time will be devoted to a revision of the constitution and by-laws and an address on "Bank Reserves" by J. E. Fuescher, Milwaukee. Thirty minutes' discussion on "Advertising" will follow, in which Mortimer I. Stevens, editor of the Wisconsin Banker, W. M. Post, Milwaukee, and Earle Pease, Grand Rapids, will participate. "The Law and the Banker" is a subject to be discussed by C. H. Schweitzer, La Crosse.

Second day will begin with reports from secretaries of state groups, followed by an address on "Banking and Commercial Credits" by F. H. McAdow, president of the National Association of Credit Men, Chicago. Various phases of the subject, "Segregation of Savings Deposits" will then be discussed by Assemblyman Philip Whitman, Highland; C. R. Thomson, Richland Center, and C. R. Carpenter, Racine. M. A. Graettinger, Milwaukee, will discuss "Bank Examinations Under Association Supervision." A discussion of "Taxation of Bank Stock" will occupy much of the time Tuesday afternoon, in which Nils P. Haugen, member of the state tax commission; H. A. Hoehnlepp and Attorney A. E. Matheson, Janesville, will participate.

Officers will be elected following the report of the committee on resolutions. Immediately after adjourning the meeting, members of the American Bankers' association will elect a vice-president for Wisconsin and a member of the nominating committee of that association.

Says Seining Will Not Destroy Carp.

Prof. George Wagner of the University of Wisconsin, an acknowledged expert on everything that relates to fish, said today that the seining of fish in the lakes of Madison would fall to make any appreciable difference in the supply of carp. Capt. G. W. Rickman, state game warden, insists that constant seining soon will exterminate the large carp and in time will reduce the kind in almost total extinction. Fish in the lakes and streams around Madison. He also insists that the carp do more harm to game fish than possibly can be done by the use of large seines. Prof. Wagner, in a polite way, intimates that Mr. Rickman does not know what he is talking about.

His explanation is that he has seen these lakes for the next ten years and fall to make an appreciable impression upon the number of carp," declared Prof. Wagner.

"In the majority of cases all the fish that are caught in a carp seine die of injuries," he said. "The universal expert. You can imagine how much chance a game fish would have in a drive of fighting carp. When a single scale is bruised a fungus growth develops and causes death. It does not take much to tear the gill of a pickerel or a pike and an injury of this kind is almost certain to prove fatal. Pickerel and pike are particularly sensitive. Bass can stand little more."

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News has been received of the death at his home in Westfield of H. R. Rawson, for two years ago for a state home for dependent children at Sparta, and for ten years parole officer of the Waukesha state school.

Until a permanent appointment is made B. M. Jostand of La Crosse will perform the duties of parole officer of the Waukesha institution.

New Corporations.

Articles of incorporation were filed in the office of Secretary of State Frear as follows:

An amendment was filed by the Vollrath company of Sheboygan increasing its capital from \$10,000 to \$500,00

The TALLEST TREE THAT GROWS

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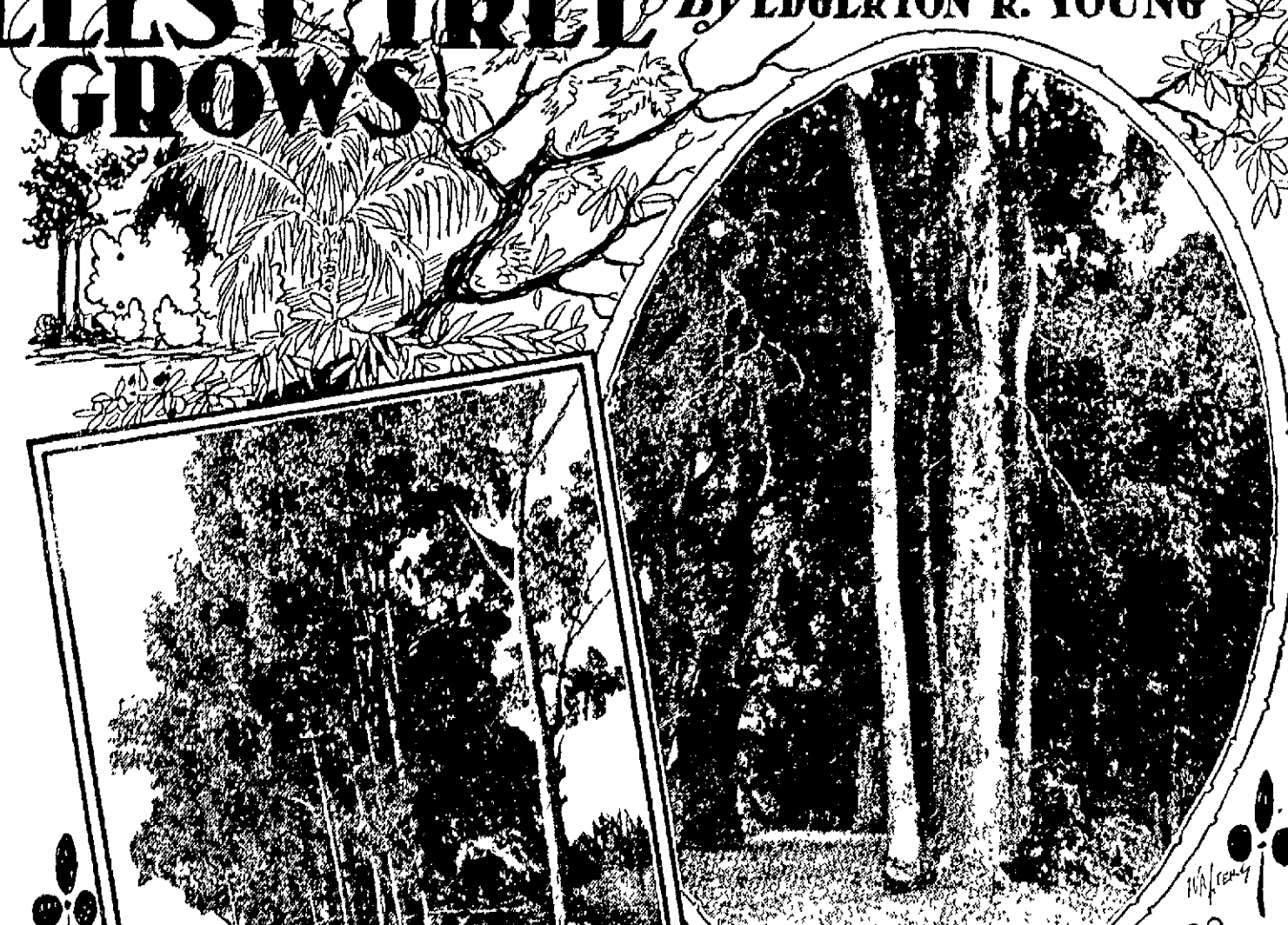
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Scientific parties are scouring the earth in search for new plants, fruits and vegetables to add to our enjoyment and happiness. A good degree of success has already attended their efforts, and doubtless much more will yet be accomplished by them.

Owing to the rapidly increased price of timber and lumber, the matter of forest growing is of vital interest to the great corporations like the railroads, manufacturing and building companies, that must have, for their very existence, vast quantities of timber and lumber. The timber required by the railroads for the one item of railroad ties, not taking into consideration the quantity used in the construction of cars and buildings, consumes the output of many hundreds of thousands of acres of timber lands every year.

While undoubtedly the valuable forest in digence to America will be most largely replanted and utilized, many others that are not natives of this continent, when found by experiment to be easily grown and of value, will also be imported and largely cultivated.

In the case of the eucalyptus this has already been done, and so extensively is the tree now grown in California, and so many and valued are its uses, that it will be news to multitudes to hear that there still live many who remember when it was first brought into this state



EUCALYPTUS GLOBULUS, SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA

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by the late Bishop Taylor from distant Australia, its original home.

It was a surprise, as well as a revelation, to find on our recent visit to Australia that that far-away land, under the Southern Cross, were growing trees that towered in the air 160 feet higher than the great Sequoia, the famous red wood of our American west; and yet such is the fact, as some specimens of the eucalyptus amygdalina reach to the great height of 480 feet. Specimens abound that are from 120 to 200 feet in circumference. They are practically of no use for commercial purposes, as the expense of cutting down such enormous trees and getting their logs split up into pieces that can be handled is so great that these monsters are passed by the thrifty lumbermen for the smaller ones that are more easily handled.

The eucalyptus amygdalina is the tallest, if not perhaps the largest, tree that grows. Specimens over 400 feet high are frequently found, while some have been measured towering up to 470 and 480 feet. The timber of these great specimens is easily worked, and, as it does not warp readily, is much used in carpentry.

The eucalyptus tree is a genus of trees and shrubs of the natural order of Myrtaceae, embracing about 150 species. All but four of them are natives of Australia and Tasmania only. The eucalyptus trees are so abundant in many parts of Australia that over vast areas they are practically the only trees visible. The fact that the fully developed trees are destitute of symmetry and beauty robs the great Australian wooded regions of that attractiveness and charm which gives such pleasure and delight to the primeval forests of America.

One striking characteristic of several varieties of the eucalyptus is that, while they never seem to shed their leaves, they cast or slough off their bark in long strips every year. The leaves, which have a leathery appearance, contain a considerable quantity of volatile oil. This tincture or oil extracted from them has a bitter aromatic taste and is extensively used as a remedy for various diseases.

On the young shoots of many species the leaves in pairs are opposite to each other, as they appear on ordinary plants, while on the older branches the leaves are arranged alternately and grow in such a way that they present their edges to the sun. This seems to be nature's provision to protect them from the

intense heat of the tropical sun of those lands where they most flourish.

The eucalyptus globulus, generally called the blue gum, from its bluish-green leaves, is the variety most successfully grown in California. It has also been introduced and flourishes in India, Natal, Egypt, Algeria, and in various parts of southern Europe and in some other warm countries. It cannot stand the frost, and so must be classed among tropical trees. Perhaps only in the state of Florida and California can we expect to see it in perfection in this country; yet although its introduction into California has been of but recent date, already its value to that state has been very considerable.

Some of the species of eucalyptus are much more valuable than others. There is also a great diversity both in their appearance and growth. One of the most valuable is the eucalyptus marginata, popularly called the Jarrah wood. It grows to a great size and its timber is so hard that it is found to be especially valuable in the construction of wharves, as it resists the attack of the ship worms and borers that are so destructive to ordinary wood. Because of this quality it also enters largely into the construction of ships and is utilized in other marine uses.

Some varieties of the eucalyptus yield a kind of retortless gum or resin called kino, which from others a species of mastic—a hard, little, sweet substance—is obtained in considerable quantities. As an antidote against malaria and as being valuable in warding off or dissipating malaria in regions where malaria abounds, the eucalyptus has obtained a considerable reputation. Expert opinions seem to be divided as to the way in which its beneficial results come about. Some think it is the result of the volatile oils which these trees give off through their leaves, acting as a neutralizing and even destructive power against the malarial matter in the atmosphere; others maintain that its beneficial results are caused by the fact of the trees being such rapid growers, and the great quantity of water they thus absorb and then give off purifies the atmosphere. Whatever may be the cause, the fact is evident that their presence in goodly numbers, planted in malarial regions, has produced most beneficial results.

The Roman Campagna especially has been greatly benefited, so much so that large portions once considered almost fatal to human

This is the greatest source of injury to eucalyptus plantations. Both the natural characteristics of the trees and the conditions within planted groves render them peculiarly susceptible to fire injury. The large quantity of litter—dry leaves, branches and shredded bark—which accumulates beneath a stand is extremely inflammable. The bark of eucalyptus is so thin that the trees are injured even by light surface fires.

The wood of blue gum is very heavy, hard, strong and tough, but is not durable in contact with the soil. It is also-grained, and is split with difficulty after it has dried. It is less elastic than hickory, but it has been demonstrated by mechanical tests that seasoned blue gum timber is a little inferior in strength and stiffness to the best second-growth hickory. In appearance it closely resembles the wood of hickory and ash.

Blue-gum timber is utilized for a great variety of purposes in California. The wood is excellent for fuel, and in the treeless valleys has been the chief fuel supply for many years. In southern California the steady demand renders commercial planting for fuel very profitable. Eucalyptus timber has been extensively used in California for wharf piling. Blue-gum piles are in use in nearly every port on the California coast, and extended trial has shown that they resist the attacks of marine borers which destroy timber in sea water longer than other species commonly used for piling. Blue-gum timber has also been used to some extent for fence posts and telephone poles. The wood is not suitable for this purpose, however, on account of its short life in the ground. Seasoned posts last a little longer than green posts, and timber cut from the heart is more durable than sapwood.

Blue-gum timber has been used to a limited extent to determine its value for railroad ties. The results thus far obtained indicate that it compares favorably with second-grade pine-til timber.

The lumber has been extensively used for vehicle stock and for wooden parts of agriculture implements. It is also made into insulator piers for electric wiring, and is used for furniture and cabinet work, hardwood flooring, triphammer beams, the levers of windlasses, and the blocking for oil and wire presses, wood paving pulley blocks and bolt wheels.

The extensive utilization of gum number has hitherto been prevented by the scanty supply of timber of merchantable size and by the difficulty experienced in seasoning the lumber with out warping and checking. It is believed, however, that in the seasoning of gum no greater difficulties will be encountered than in seasoning of any other hardwood of similar density and strength.

A product of considerable importance derived from blue gum is the oil distilled from the leaves. Eucalyptus oil is recognized as a valuable drug and is extensively used by pharmacists and physicians.

In many valleys of California eucalyptus windbreaks are considered absolutely necessary to insure the successful production of crops. They have been most extensively used to safeguard citrus orchards from strong and destructive winds in southern California, but they are now being established also for the protection of vineyards and orchards of deciduous fruits, olives and walnuts. The blue gum excels other species for windbreak purposes on account of its height and the rapidity of its growth. The tall shafts of the trees bend in the wind and act as a cushion to deflect it upward over the orchard, whereas ordinary wind-break trees form a more solid wall, and the wind draws downward, forming eddies near the leeward side.

Eucalyptus reproduce readily by both seeds and sprouts. The trees bear seed in abun dance annually, and under favorable conditions natural reproduction is freely established. Trees also sprout vigorously from both the stump and the roots, either after cutting or in response to injury. In California commercial groves are almost invariably reproduced by sprouts.

Plantations should be started with young trees and not by direct sowing. The opinion is generally held that eucalyptus seedlings are so difficult to raise that their propagation is impracticable except for expert nurserymen. In point of fact, blue gum is one of the most easily propagated species.

You see, the companies have wakened up to the fact that many of their wires are idle during the night, and so they have instituted the "night letter" service—telegraphing at night a 50-word message at the same price that dispatches a 10-word message in the day.

An Innuendo.

"Mary, Mary, take the parrot downstairs at once. The master has lost his collar button."—Christian Register.

The Rev. Court Resigns.

Superior.—The Rev. F. W. Court has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Church of the Atonement, Methodist church after a five years' pastorate. His resignation takes effect on Aug. 21.

Dynamite Hurts Boy.

Sheboygan.—Raymond Harkins, the 12-year-old son of Dennis Harkins, Russell township, had two fingers and the thumb blown off by his left hand by the premature explosion of a dynamite cartridge with which he was playing.

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AUTHORITIES RESORT TO DUM-MY PACKAGE PLAN AND ARREST FOLLOWS.

ASKED FOR LARGE SUM

Two Letters Demanded \$500, With Death Threatened Upon Refusal.

Waukegan. Three boys were arrested on the charge of attempting to secure \$500 from E. L. Devine by blackmail methods. They are Elmer Maynard, Charles Swalsby and Charles Hanson.

Last week Mr. Devine received a letter demanding that he leave \$500 in a package near the back door to a store and threatening him with death on refusal to comply with the demand.

This letter appeared to have been mailed on rural route No. 2. The police and mayor were notified and later the letter was sent to the post-office authorities in Washington.

A second letter of the same purport was received by Mr. Devine, who had not complied with the first demand. Mayor Patton instructed Mr. Devine to obey the orders in the letter and leave a dummy package at the place indicated. Mr. Devine followed out the instructions.

The story of the Hanson boy is said to place the blame on the Maynard boy. He says the three boys were in Hoffman's saloon and stopped out to the rear, that Maynard lit his pipe, depending on the light to see if the package was there. He is said to have picked it up so early that the other two boys did not know it and the officers near did not observe his action.

When the boys left, the officers discovered that the package was gone. They took after the boys and Maynard and Swalsby are now in the county jail. The dummy package, it is said, was found in Maynard's pocket.

AN ALLEGED SHORTAGE

Bondsman Charge That Accounts of Late Robert A. Etter Show a Deficit of \$1,840.

Monroe.—That there is a shortage of \$1,810 in the accounts of the late Robt. A. Etter, postmaster, is the allegation of his bondsman, who have asked the court to require his release. Mr. Etter's daughter, from taking possession of any of the estate, consisting mainly of the insurance in the Woodmen order. It is also alleged that the estate is \$15,000.

The alleged shortage in the post-office accounts is said to have been discovered by J. P. Walker, a government postoffice inspector.

J. B. Trent and Henry Lindow, bondsmen, petitioned the court and, in accordance, George W. Thurpe was appointed administrator.

The allegation of the shortage makes worse the confusion in regard to the postoffice here. Congressman Cooper appointed as a successor to Mr. Etter, Henry Gillet, but the gentleman held up the appointment.

Etter had been a candidate for reappointment.

Smith is Great Schemer.

Bau Claire.—The great council of the Red Men adjourned after electing the following officers: J. P. Smith, Great sachem—Phil Smith, Milwaukee.

Great senior sagamore—J. S. Conkley, Superior.

Great junior sagamore—S. L. Durbin, Cross Lake.

Great prophet—Charles Griffith, Ashland.

Great chief of records—John Mehl, Cochrane.

Great keeper of wampum—J. E. Langdon, La Crosse.

Great representative—C. W. Kane, Superior.

Great board of appeals—G. H. Daubner, Waukegan.

Great trustees—Clarence Carroll, Superior; A. D. Burnett, Galeville.

Chief of council—James Casyah, Racine; W. Taylor, Kenosha; Con Feige, Eau Claire.

Choice of the next place of meeting was left with the new officers, decision to be made before January next.

Sends Out Certificates.

Madison.—Secretary of State Jas. A. Frear certified to the county clerks of the state the names of the candidates who have qualified properly in his office and are entitled to places on the ballot in the primary election on Sept. 6.

The letter contains some instructions to the county clerks. Summarized, they are as follows: The names of all candidates certified by the county clerks must be given for trial. It was said that within a week from eight to fifteen more arrests may be made in connection with the case.

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STATE NEWS

Madison.—Late Bridget, who was held by the police in connection with the death of John W. Vaughn, was released following the verdict of the coroner's jury that the death of Vaughn was accidental. Both men were in the employ of the Madison Gas & Electric company and got into a dispute over the weight of a wheelbarrow of coke. Testimony at the inquest showed that Vaughn struck the first blow. In the scuffle that followed both men fell 18 feet down an elevator shaft. Bridget escaped with a few scratches on his face, but Vaughn received internal injuries which resulted fatally. Vaughn was fifty years old. His wife died only two weeks ago.

Omro.—At the meeting of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal church, a resolution was passed calling upon Rev. Daniel Woodward, pastor of the church, to return to his charge at once and by inference demanding that he cease his speaking on the stump in this campaign. Mr. Woodward is out on the stump in behalf of Francis D. McGovern as a gubernatorial candidate and is, in his speeches, declaring that he considers the issue of representative government as the most important of the day. He stands for McGovern's opponent. He stands an anti-imperialist.

New London.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holden celebrated their golden wedding in the home of their son, C. D. Holden, in this city. Mr. Holden was born in Royalton, Mass., and Mrs. Holden in Keene, N. H. They came to Sheboygan Falls in 1862, where they lived up to 20 years ago. They then moved to Port Washington, where they lived up to a few weeks ago, when they moved to New London.

Green Bay.—A family reunion took place at the home of J. Lambeck, where his brothers Joseph and Peter, whom he had not seen for twenty-five years arrived in the city from Chicago. The brothers of Chicago learned the whereabouts of their brother in this city about a week ago, through seeing his name in a directory. Mr. Lambeck came to this country from Europe a number of years before his brothers and in some manner they lost all trace of him, and he lived his life.

La Crosse.—Edward Steadman and Charles Burns are held at police headquarters following an automobile chase, suspected of being implicated in a post office robbery in some northwest city. Police were notified from Midway that two strangers were offering large quantities of post office stamps for sale. A detachment of police hurried to Midway in an auto and refused to take them.

Green Bay.—Anna Lohmann, twenty-two years old, daughter of Anton Lohmann, Seymour, had her voice restored by an operation after being unable to talk above a whisper for 12 days, because of a large piece of bone becoming lodged in her throat. The bone was 1 1/2 inches long and one-half inch wide.

Wautoma.—The third annual fair of the Firemen of Waubesa and Waushara counties was held at Westfield, with an attendance of 5,000. Seven fire companies and bands from here participated.

Superior.—Officials of the Hest-Patterson company and the police spent all day tracing possible clues to the dynamiting of the Philadelphia & Reading dock Monday night, but without result.

Waukegan.—New potatoes are being shipped here to supply the local demand for the first time in 20 years. Potatoes in this vicinity are the size of marbles, owing to the dry weather.

Beloit.—Lawrence Krenzler, aged seven, stepped on a live electric wire in the electric railway yards and was severely burned. A companion pulled him away from the wire or he probably would have been burned to death.

Appleton.—H. J. Wallenius and his wife were buried in the same "flim" by the Chicago Painters' union, of which he was a member. Wallenius shot the infant and himself on Monday following a series of family dissensions.

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OLD MEN AT PLAY

Missouri Village Has a Marble Craze That Occupies Attention.

Men Now Past Sixty Who Find Delight in the Playthings of Their Early Years.

Blue Springs Mo. Horsehoeat Aw-shucks! Horsehoes do well enough to furnish a light diversion now and then, but for a serious game of hand-work and skill, Blue Springs believes no game is half as good as old fashioned marbles.

Two cars, the boys and men of Blue Springs, representatives from all of Shoshonean towns have been playing marbles the year round, each month with increasing skill. There is a legend that Uncle Sam Stanley, who is seventy-four, and Uncle Tom Holloway, who is seventy-five, were in evenly matched in a contest arranged last winter that they lagged from law for two days with out either man winning an advantage of a sixteenth of an inch in the struggle to gain the privilege of having the first shot, and the contest had to be declared a draw before it began.

Knickerbocker tennis ten years old, after twenty-five, or seventy-five years old tennis, or any other game that a challenge may prefer, can be furnished by Blue Springs on five minutes' notice. Blue Springs challenges the world.

Just how marbles got started here no one appears to remember. Possibly some gray-headed citizen of the town sat on a wall log in front of Pryor's blacksmith shop on a spring day two years ago and got to thinking, while he watched the "kiddie" playing marbles in the street, that he used to be a pretty fair hand at that game himself in days before the war. Then he went out and knocked a "mildler" from "taw" or about mid and went back and lagged about it to somebody else. And that other person

needed to be pretty fair, too, in other days, and went out to see what he could do. Then every one got started. But whatever the beginning may have been, there can be no doubt that the game has taken complete possession of Blue Springs and that Pryor's shop is its headquarters. Rain or shine, winter or summer, there is some every day in the shop or in the street just in front of it. Last winter, when the thermometer stood near zero, a game was played in which all of the contestants wore overcoats. When those men began blowing on their knuckles to keep them warm there was a sound like a shoal of porpoises.

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IN THESE days, when the reforestation of the waste lands of our country is becoming a question of such national importance, the study of the relative value of different species of trees is naturally very essential.

Scientific parties are scouring the earth in search for new plants, fruits and vegetables to add to our enjoyment and happiness. A good degree of success has already attended their efforts, and doubtless much more will yet be accomplished by them.

Owing to the rapidly increased price of lumber and timber, the matter of forest-growing is of vital interest to the great corporations like the railroads, manufacturing and building companies, that must have, for their very existence, vast quantities of timber and the timber required by the railroads for the one item of railroad ties, for taking into consideration the quantity used in the construction of cars and buildings, consumes the output of many hundreds of thousands of acres of timber lands every year.

While undoubtedly the valuable trees indigenous to America will do most largely replanted and utilized, many others that are not native of this continent, when found by experiment to be really grown and of value, will also be imported and largely cultivated.

In the case of the eucalyptus this has already been done, and so extensively is the tree now grown in California, and so many and valued are its uses, that it will be news to multitudes to hear that there still live many who remember when it was first brought into that state.



EUCALYPTUS GLOBULUS, SANTA BARBARA, CALIFORNIA



EUCALYPTUS VIMINALIS, CALIFORNIA



EUCALYPTUS 76 FEET IN CIRCUMFERENCE

EUCALYPTUS GLOBULUS (THE BLUE GUM), CALIFORNIA

Fire is the greatest source of injury to eucalyptus plantations. Both the natural characteristics of the trees and the conditions within planted groves render them peculiarly susceptible to fire injury. The large quantity of litter—dry leaves, branches and shredded bark—which accumulates beneath a stand is extremely inflammable. The bark of eucalyptus is so thin that the trees are injured even by light surface fires.

The wood of blue gum is very heavy, hard, strong and tough, but is not durable in contact with the soil. It is close-grained, and is split with difficulty after it has dried. It is less elastic than hickory, but it has been demonstrated by mechanical tests that seasoned blue gum timber is a little inferior in strength and stiffness to the best second-growth hickory. In appearance it closely resembles the wood of hickory and ash.

Blue gum timber is utilized for a great variety of purposes in California. The wood is excellent for fuel, and in the treeless valleys has been the chief fuel supply for many years. In southern California the steady demand renders commercial planting for fuel very profitable. Eucalyptus timber has been extensively used in California for wharf piling. Blue gum piles are in use in nearly every port on the California coast, and extended trial has shown that they resist the attacks of marine borers which destroy timber in sea water longer than other species commonly used for piling. Blue gum timber has also been used to some extent for fence posts and telephone poles. The wood is not suitable for this purpose, however, on account of its short life in the ground. Seasoned posts last a little longer than green posts, and timber cut from the heart is more durable than sapwood.

Blue gum timber has been used to a limited extent to determine its value for railroad ties. The results thus far obtained indicate that it compares favorably with second-grade pine-ditch timber.

The lumber has been extensively used for vehicle stock and for wooden parts of agricultural implements. It is also made into insulator pins for electric wiring, and is used for furniture and cabinet work, hardwood flooring, trip-hammer beams, the levers of windlasses, and the bickering for oil and wine presses, wood paving pulley blocks and belt wheels.

The extensive utilization of gum lumber has hitherto been prevented by the scanty supply of timber of merchantable size and by the difficulty experienced in seasoning the lumber with out warping and checking. It is believed, however, that in the seasoning of gum no greater difficulties will be encountered than in seasoning of any other hardwood of similar density and strength.

A product of considerable importance derived from blue gum is the oil distilled from the leaves. Eucalyptus oil is recognized as a valuable drug and is extensively used by pharmacists and physicians.

In many valleys of California eucalyptus windbreaks are considered absolutely necessary to insure the successful production of crops. They have been most extensively used to safeguard citrus orchards from strong and destructive winds in southern California, but they are now being established also for the protection of vineyards and orchards of deciduous fruits, olives and walnuts. The blue gum excels other species for windbreak purposes on account of its height and the rapidity of its growth. The tall shafts of the trees bend before the wind and act as a cushion to deflect it upward over the orchard, whereas ordinary wind-break trees form a more solid wall, and the wind draws downward, forming eddies near the leeward side.

Eucalyptus reproduce readily by both seeds and sprouts. The trees bear seed in abundance annually, and under favorable conditions natural reproduction is freely established. Trees also sprout vigorously from both the stump and the roots, either after cutting or in response to injury. In California commercial groves are almost invariably reproduced by sprouts.

Plantations should be started with young trees and not by direct sowing. The opinion is generally held that eucalyptus seedlings are so difficult to raise that their propagation is impracticable except for expert nurserymen. In point of fact, blue gum is one of the most easily propagated species.

ARREST BOYS IN BLACK HAND CASE

AUTHORITIES RESORT TO DUM-MY PACKAGE PLAN AND ARREST FOLLOWS.

ASKED FOR LARGE SUM

Two Letters Demanded \$500. With Death Threatened Upon Refusal.

Waukegan.—Three boys were arrested on the charge of attempting to secure \$500 from E. L. Devine by blackmail methods. They are Elmer Maynard, Charles Swabsky, and Charles Hanson.

Last week Mr. Devine received a letter demanding that he leave \$500 in a package near the back door to a store and threatening him with death on refusal to comply with the demand.

This letter appeared to have been mailed on rural route No. 2. The police and mayor were notified and the letter was sent to the post-office authorities in Washington.

A second letter of the same purport was received by Mr. Devine, who had not complied with the first demand. Mayor Parsons instructed Mr. Devine to obey the orders in the letter and leave a dummy package at the place indicated. Mr. Devine followed the instructions.

The story of the Hanson boy is said to place the blame on the Maynard boy. He says the three boys were in Hoffburger's saloon and stopped out to the street that Maynard hit his pipe, depending on the light to see if the package was there. He is said to have picked it up so slyly that the other two boys did not know it and the officers near did not observe his action.

When the boys left, the officers discovered that the package was gone. They took after the boys and Maynard and Swabsky are now in the county jail. The dummy package, it is said, was found in Maynard's pocket.

AN ALLEGED SHORTAGE

Bondsman Charge That Accounts of Late Robert A. Etter Show a Deficit of \$1,840.

Monroe.—That there is a shortage of \$1,840 in the accounts of the late Robert A. Etter, postmaster, is the allegation of his bondsman, who have asked the court to restrain his heirs, Mr. Etter's daughter, from taking possession of any of the estate, consisting mainly of the insurance in the Woodmen order.

It is also alleged that the estate is in debt to the amount of about \$15,000. The alleged shortage in the post-office accounts is said to have been discovered by J. P. Walker, a government postoffice inspector.

J. B. Treat and Henry Ludlow, bondsmen, petitioned the court and, in accordance with George E. Thorpe was appointed administrator.

The allegation of the shortage makes worse the confusion in regard to the postoffice here. Congressman Cooper appointed as successor to Mr. Etter, Emory Odell, but the senate held up the appointment. Mr. Etter had been a candidate for reappointment.

Smith is Great Sachem. Eau Claire.—The great council of Red Men adjourned after electing the following officers: Great sachem—Phil Smith, Milwaukee. Great senior sagamore—J. S. Conley, Superior.

Great junior sagamore—S. L. Burdick, La Crosse. Great prophet—Charles Griffith, Ashland. Great chief of records—John Mehl, Cochrane.

Great keeper of wampum—J. E. Langdon, La Crosse. Great representative—G. W. Kane, Superior. Great board of appeals—G. H. Daubner, Waukegan.

Great trustees—Clarence Carroll, Superior; A. D. Barnett, Galvestone. Great judicial committee of James Cayshiel, Racine; G. W. Taylor, Kenosha; Con Felge, Eau Claire.

Choice of the next place of meeting was left with the next officers, decision to be made before January next.

Sends Out Certificates. Madison.—Secretary of State Jas. A. Freas has certified to the county clerks of the state the names of the candidates who have qualified properly in his office and are entitled to place their names on the primary election on Sept. 6.

The letter contains some instructions to the county clerks. Summarized, they are as follows: The names of the candidates certified must appear on the ballot. The names of the candidates must be rotated by precincts and not arranged alphabetically as heretofore.

Only one party committeeman may be chosen in each precinct, excepting in Milwaukee, where three may be elected.

STATE NEWS

Madison.—Lylo Briggs, who was held by the police in connection with the death of John W. Vaughn, was released following the verdict of the coroner's jury that the death of Vaughn was accidental. Both men were in the employ of the Madison Gas & Electric company and got into a dispute over the weight of a wheelbarrow of coke. Testimony at the inquest showed that Vaughn struck the first blow. In the scuffle that followed both men fell 18 feet down an elevator shaft. Briggs escaped with a few scratches on his face but Vaughn received internal injuries which resulted fatally. Vaughn was fifty years old. His wife died only two weeks ago.

Omro.—At the meeting of the official board of the Methodist Episcopal church, a resolution was passed calling upon Rev. Daniel Woodward, pastor of the church, to return to his charge at once and by inference demanding that he cease his speaking on the stump in this campaign. Mr. Woodward is out on the stump in behalf of Francis E. McGovern as a gubernatorial candidate and he, in his speeches, declaring that he considers the issue of "representative government" which he claims McGovern stands for is more important than the issue of county option, to which Mr. McGovern is opposed. He stands an anti-unionist.

New London.—Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holden celebrated their golden wedding in the home of their son, C. E. Holden, in this city. Mr. Holden was born in Royalston, Mass., and Mrs. Holden in Keosauqua, Ia. They came to New London in 1862, where they lived up to 20 years ago. They then moved to Port Washington, where they lived up to a few weeks ago, when they moved to New London.

Green Bay.—A family reunion took place at the home of J. Lambert, where his brothers, Joseph and Peter, whom he had not seen for twenty-five years, arrived in the city from Chicago. The brothers of Chicago learned the whereabouts of their brother in this city about a week ago, through seeing his name in a directory. Mr. Lambert came to this country from Europe a number of years before his brothers and in some manner they lost all trace of him, and believed him dead.

La Crosse.—Edward Steadman and Charles Burns are held at police headquarters following an automobile chase, suspected of being implicated in a post office robbery in same northwest city. Police were notified from Midway that two strangers were offering large quantities of postage stamps for sale. A detachment of police hurried to Midway in an auto. Both refused to talk.

Green Bay.—Anna Lohmann, twenty-two years old, daughter of Anton Lohmann, Seymour, had her voice restored by an operation after being unable to talk above a whisper for 12 days, because of a large piece of bone becoming lodged in her throat. The bone was 1 1/2 inches long and one-half inch wide.

Waukegan.—The third annual tour-nament of the Women's of Muskegon and Waukegan counties was held at Westfield, with an attendance of 5,000. Seven fair companies and bands from here participated.

Superior.—Officials of the Hoyer-Peterson company and the police have all day tracing possible clues to the dynamiting of the Philadelphia & Reading dock Monday night, but without result.

Waukegan.—New potatoes are being shipped here to supply the local demand for the first time in 20 years. Potatoes in this vicinity are the size of marbles, owing to the dry weather.

Great Falls.—Lawrence Kintzky, aged seven, stepped on a live electric wire in the electric railway yards and was severely burned. A companion pulled him away from the wire or he probably would have been burned to death.

Appleton.—H. J. Wallenius and his baby were buried in the same coffin by the Chicago Painters' union, of which he was a member. Wallenius shot the infant and himself on Monday following a series of family dissensions.

Reedsburg.—Leonard, two-year-old son of Mrs. Albert Brandt, was left alone for a few minutes by his mother. When she returned she found her baby dead. While playing with its bib, the child had so twisted the garment about its neck that it strangled to death.

Appleton.—Henry Smith, the Hor-tonville baggage agent charged with robbing a train, was arraigned in municipal court and was held over for trial. It was said that within a week from eight to fifteen more arrests may be made in connection with the case.

New Richmond.—The local board of fire insurance underwriters announces a material reduction in the rate for residence risks, which will take effect at once.

Kenosha.—The annual reunion of the Old Settlers' club of Kenosha county will be on the club grounds at Paddock's lake on August 23. This year the club will not permit any politics at the picnic and state and county candidates who have sought a chance to speak have been refused.

Madison.—The farmers of Waukegan and adjoining counties will meet at the state industrial school farm on Tuesday, August 16, to witness demonstrations and hear discussions on methods of handling and improving farm crops.

New Richmond.—The Soo line depot in Somerset was robbed of between \$100 and \$200. One suspect is under arrest. The money said to have been stolen was in a tiff which was broken open. Robert Thrasher, a driver on a railroad construction crew, was arrested on suspicion.

Menomonie.—The Stout institute summer school opened with an attendance of 135, including students from nearly all western and many of the eastern states, as well as Canada. This is an increase of 20 per cent. over 1909, and a strong gain in the manual training department.

Manitowish.—About 200 persons are attending the annual convention of Master House Painters and Decorators of Wisconsin. Prof. W. G. Scott of Chicago made an address on "Permanency of Paint." Officers will be elected and the next place of meeting selected.

OLD MEN AT PLAY

Missouri Village Has a Marble Craze That Occupies Attention.

Men Now Past Sixty Who Find Delight in the Playthings of Their Early Years.

Blue Springs, Mo.—Homeschool! Ah, chuckle! Homeschools do well enough to furnish a light diversion now and then, but for a serious game of home-work and skill, Blue Springs believed no game is half as good as old-fashion marble.

For two years the boys and men of Blue Springs, representatives from all of Shakespeare's seven ages have been playing marbles the year round, each month with increasing skill. There is a legend that Uncle Dan Stanley, who is seventy-four, and Uncle Tom Holloway, who is seventy-five, were so evenly matched in a contest arranged last winter that they lagged from law for two days without either man winning an advantage of a sixteenth of an inch in the struggle to gain the prize of having the first shot, and the contest had to be declared a draw before it began.

Kneckerbocker teams, ten years old, fifteen, twenty-five, fifty, or seventy-five-year old teams, or any other ages that a challenge may prefer, can be furnished by Blue Springs on five minutes' notice. Blue Springs challenges the world.

Just how marbles got started here no one appears to remember. Doubtless some gray-headed citizen of the town sat on a nail log in front of a grocery's blacksmith shop on a spring day two years ago and got to thinking while he watched the "kiddie" playing marbles in the street, that he used to be a pretty fair hand at that game himself in days before the war. Then he went out and knocked a "mildler" from "taw"—or almost did—and went back and bragged about it to somebody else. And that other person



Sport in Blue Springs, Mo.

used to be pretty fair, too, in other days, and went out to see what he could do. Then every one got started. But whatever the beginning may have been, there can be no doubt that the game has taken complete possession of Blue Springs and that Pryor's shop is its headquarters. Run or shine, whether it summer, winter, or a game every day in the shop or in the street just in front of it. Last winter, when the thermometer stood near zero, a game was played in which all of the contestants wore overcoats. When those men began blowing on their knuckles to keep them warm they made a sound like a shawl of porpoise.

Seven "games" are necessary to win. Knock the middle marble out the first shot and the game is yours. Such a shot is called a "mildler." Knock any marble out and you must "clear the park." Knock all the others to win the game.

If your marble stays in the square after the first shot, you are "tall," or "dead" for the rest of the game. If some one else hits your taw you are dead for the rest of the game.

Lynn Pryor, the blacksmith, stood a law, took a good aim, and in 2 feet 4 inches spotted the middle of the square. One game for Pryor and Binger! But nobody got excited. Mildlers from law are ordinary occurrences in Blue Springs. John Henry Moore holds a record of having knocked out 17 of such mildlers in 14 shots.

A minute later Uncle Dan Stanley knocked a mildler. Capt. George Webb, the furniture dealer and undertaker, did the same thing, too, as soon as he had the chance. So did Farmer George Binger. They didn't do so all the time, of course, but mildlers came with an astonishing regularity. And when there was a game in which all four men had a chance to shoot, other plays just as remarkable for distance and accuracy were taken by the gallery at the blacksmith shop door as matter of course.

"You must understand," the blacksmith said, "that if a man comes with a marble that he wants to stop instant. But when there's nothing going on, somebody is sure to start a game. Farmers come in on rainy days, sometimes from several miles around, and some of them are good hands at marbles."

Conclusive.

The girl with the blonde hair and the dark girl with the dimple were making various purchases preparatory to their summer vacation. When it came to bathing suits there was a disagreement. The girl with the blonde hair wanted to select a decidedly abbreviated costume, and the dark girl with the dimple was trying to dissuade her.

"You are not tall enough to wear it," remonstrated the dark girl. "Don't you know that a skirt that ends above the knees makes a girl look shorter?" "I know it makes the men look longer," retorted the blonde.

And that settled the matter.

Spiritual the Real.

Yes, it is true that there are moments when the flesh is nothing to me, when I feel to be the vision; God and the spiritual, the only real and true. Depend upon it the spiritual is the real.—Tennyson.

Home Life in Kansas.

When a woman appears in the back yard with the bed sate and pours boiling water over them, that is proof that she is an entomologist.—Aitchison.

Send Good Joke Down Line

Telegraphers Said to Be Responsible for Quick Way That Stories Travel.

"Now that's something I've often wondered about," said the old commercial traveler to a Philadelphia Ledger man. "How does a new joke travel over the country so quickly? I've heard the explanation that it is commercial travelers who spread

them. But that isn't how it's done; it doesn't make any difference if we travel on a through express, we frequently find that a brand new story we heard in Philadelphia has reached San Francisco ahead of us.

"The explanation is simple enough," said the old telegrapher. "It simply means that electricity is faster than steam; while you were traveling to Frisco on the railroad the joke was

traveling there on the telegraph wire."

"No, no one goes to the expense—that's on the telegraph company. You see, it's this way: The operators at all the big telegraph centers over the country have a speaking acquaintance with each other. They call each other by first names, though the chances are that they haven't the slightest idea of each other's appearance. During the night the wires are often quiet. Now, suppose a message has just been sent from New York to this city; for the time being there is nothing more to be

dispatched, and no other operator is trying to get the wire. In this case the telegraph instrument in Philadelphia is likely to click off: 'Say, Jim, I just heard a new story. It's a good one.'"

"When Jim gets Jack at Chicago or Pete at St. Louis or an idle wire, the new story is passed along. And so, in a single night, a crackling good story may be passed from New York to San Francisco."

"But I'm afraid that stories won't circulate now as quickly as they used to."

The increasing size of the ocean gray-hounds, the feeling of safety on board is due to the invention of the wireless, which in several recent instances has brought help in time to save passengers on sinking ships.

The United States government, realizing its importance, will in the future see that all vessels carrying over fifty passengers are provided with wireless. A bill to that effect has passed both the house and senate and will go into effect on July 1, 1911. The wireless has killed the isolation which

used to strike so many with dread when they found themselves out of sight of land and apparently at the mercy of the elements for a week or more. Perhaps some day we will get the talked-of railroad across Behring Strait, but until then the traveler to Europe has little to worry him.

Old Houses in Nuremberg.

In Nuremberg there are 1,700 houses built before 1600 A. D. and 3,537 built in the seventeenth and eighteenth centuries.

The Rev. Court Resigns.

Superior.—The Rev. F. W. Court has tendered his resignation as pastor of the Cumming Avenue Methodist church after a five years' pastorate. His resignation takes effect on Aug. 31.

Dynamite Hurts Boy.

Sheboygan.—Raymond Harkins, the 12 year old son of Dennis Harkins, Russell township, had two fingers and the thumb blown off by the left hand by premature explosion of dynamite cartridge which he was playing.

For Safety on the Ocean

In Recent Years Many Changes for the Better Have Been Made.

It is but a few decades ago when a person who had been to Europe was looked upon as one who had taken his life in his hands when he braved the dangers of the deep, according to the Christian Herald. Many a person of wealth, who longed to see the trans-

ures of the old world, gave up that pleasure for fear of shipwreck, or the discomforts of the Atlantic voyage, and people yet living can remember when prayers were said for the churches for those about to sail for Europe. How different things are at present is shown by the fact that wrecks are now few and far between. The larger ships are as safe and steady as hotels on shore. Aside from

